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Marion Honors Vets of All Roles, All Wars

By Katherine Martin

Monday marked the 100th anniversary of the Veterans Day holiday, originally called Armistice Day, master of ceremonies Lt. Col. Joseph Napoli told the standing room only crowd at Sippican School. It was one day after the end of WWII, he said, that the day of observance would be renamed Veterans Day.

"President Eisenhower had the name changed

to Veterans Day to honor all veterans of all services of all wars to begin with the Revolutionary War right up until the present day," said Napoli. "And I think it's a fitting change."

The idea of honoring every veteran, regardless of their role in whichever war they served, was a theme throughout the ceremony. The event program read, "Veterans Day is the day set aside to thank and honor ALL those who served honorably in the military - in wartime or peacetime."

To honor those who were among the crowd, veterans were asked to rise from their chairs. About 30 men and women stood, reminding everyone to give thanks to their fellow neighbors who serve or have



On the Cover: "Appetizing Apparition" – Six-year-old Nathan Grossman (above) decided to behold his breakfast long enough to notice something different about this piece of bacon before taking a bite. "Hey, look! The bacon looks like the Seahorse!" Grossman shouted out, according to Liza Appleby of Mattapoisett who witnessed the excitement. "I surprisingly had to agree," said Appleby. "It certainly did look like Salty the Mattapoisett Seahorse." Photo courtesy Liza Appleby

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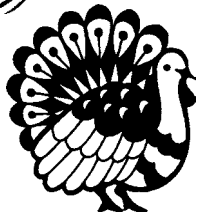
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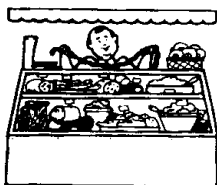
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The Marion Girl Scouts, Cub Scouts, and Boy Scouts led the crowd in the Pledge of Allegiance while the Sippican School Band provided patriotic musical selections throughout the ceremony.

"That's the future of this country, right there," said Napoli pointing to the stage full of students. "Somebody in that generation will be in a leadership position for this country when they reach the age for doing so."

That claim was appropriate, as U.S. Navy CDR Jesse McFadden, a Marion native and two-year Sippican School student, delivered the main address.

"When I chose to attend the United States Naval Academy in 1997," CDR McFadden said, "it was a much different global landscape than the one we are faced with today. The only major military operation that I can remember at the time was the Gulf War..."

"Since the attacks that took place on September 11th, 2001, we have experienced a drastic increase in military operations around the globe," continued McFadden, "resulting in more than 15,000 deaths of U.S. service members and department of defense civilians in support of our global war on terror."

McFadden asked, "So, why is it that people chose to serve in the military? I think the answer is pretty simple. When service members first enter the military, the oath that they take is to support and defend the constitution of the United States against all enemies."

McFadden closed with a remark from fellow Naval Officer President John F. Kennedy. He said, "I can imagine no more rewarding a career. And any man who may be asked what he did to make his life worthwhile, I think, can respond with a good deal of pride and satisfaction: 'I served in the United States Navy.'"

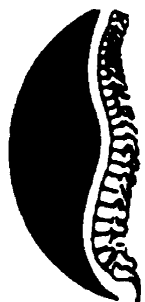
New American Legion Commander

Leads Vets Day

By Marilou Newell

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guiding force, Michael Lamoureaux retired from those duties in October when Rachel Perron, Commander in the U.S. Navy Reserves, was elected.

"Frankly, I'm terrified," Perron said with a chuckle as she began the Veterans Day celebrations at Old Hammondtown School. But Perron is accustomed to taking on challenges and executing difficult duties.

Perron has seen active duty, having been deployed to Afghanistan, and currently is a higher education instructor at the Northeast Maritime Institute in Fairhaven.

Perron asked the audience to seek out veterans, to ask them to tell their stories.

"Talk to these selfless Americans," said Perron. "They have stories to tell." She then invited Chaplain Richard Langhoff to lead the group in prayer.

Quoting from a poem written by John Maxwell Edmonds in 1944 and displayed at the military cemetery situated on the eastern frontier of the Himalayas in Kohima, India, Langhoff read "...We gave all our tomorrows that you might have today." He said veterans

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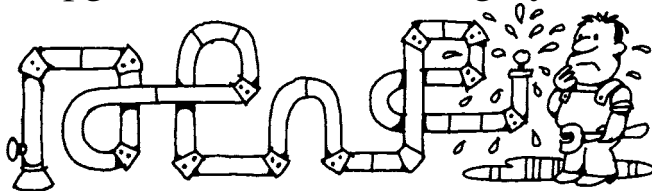
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Next came a tradition that many look forward to each year, the reciting of the Gettysburg Address by veteran George Randall. Continuing the tradition handed down through his family, Randall's voice was clear as he spoke Lincoln's words, "...That these dead shall not have died in vain – that this nation, under God, shall have a new birth of freedom – and that government of the people, by the people, and for the people, shall not perish from the earth." He received a standing ovation.

Local veterans' agent and Post member Barry Denham said he hoped that one day the observation of Veterans Day would cease, but that would only happen if

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war would cease. He commended Perron on her election as Post Commander and also spoke to the beauty of the Star Spangled Banner, which had just been sung by The Showstoppers, whose voices rose throughout the ceremony singing several pieces.

Also adding elegance and meaning with patriotic music were performances by the Old Hammondtown School chorus led by Willow Dowling, and the school's band under the direction of Christian Dow.

At the commencement of his time at the podium, guest speaker Naval Captain Steven Gardiner shared that he was struggling a bit with his speech.

"I don't like talking about myself... [or] being in the limelight," he confided. Gardiner, whose many achievements include senior staff positions in Iraq, Afghanistan, and Guantanamo Bay, has studied at both the U.S. Naval and Army War Colleges and has received the Meritorious Service Medal. He retired in 2018 after 31 years of service. Today, Gardiner serves as a member of the Massachusetts Marine Academy's onboard operations program.

"In thinking about a thirty-year career," Gardiner said, and paused. "Well, it's not about me: it's about all the people who served with me."

He spoke to the courage so many demonstrated, like one rescue swimmer Gardiner said spent nine hours searching for a helicopter pilot.

"As I reflected upon those faces from three decades worth of various crews... I came to realize that these people are the ones worthy to focus on here today – not me – because I served with great and memorable people," said Gardiner.

As a Naval Aviator and Vietnam veteran, Gardiner said he learned to "take care of my people" and a senior officer once taught him "how to constructively use mistakes as a positive teaching moment."

Gardiner also remembered the pain and sorrow of watching a wounded Kurdish security staff member perish from a chest wound, and the families of service personnel whose sacrifices should not be overlooked.

"The common thread in all was that we raised our hands, sworn an oath, put on a uniform and stepped off...



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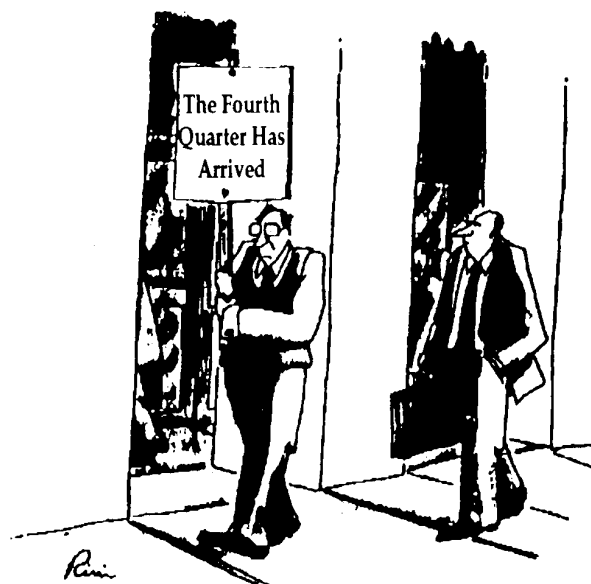
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to serve something greater than ourselves," said Gardiner. In a follow-up, he added words spoken by one of his current colleagues: "So, even though we sailed in harm's way, I don't need thanks because the world's greatest Navy gave me more than I gave it."

Adding to the solemnity of the event were Mattapoisett Police Officers Felix Perez and Jeremy Young who formed the color guard, balanced by the youthful exuberance of the Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts.

Denham commented that the 2019 observances were enjoyed by a "record number of people," and the crowd demonstrated their pleasure with rousing ending applause.



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**Tabor Delays Demolition of
Historic Tenbrook House**

By Jean Perry

Tabor Academy announced on November 6 that it has changed its mind about moving forward with the controversial demolition of a historic house known locally as the Tenbrook House, and will instead welcome ideas for alternatives and consider any viable options to renovate or repurpose the structure.

Designed by prominent architect, and summer resident of Marion, H.H. Richardson and built in 1881, 192 Front Street was purchased by Tabor Academy in 2008 and was used as faculty housing while trustees assessed

the building for future possible use. Last month, the house was slated for demolition to make way for an expansion of the school's facilities within the three-acre parcel, which resulted in public outcry erupting primarily through social media.

In response, Tabor Academy Head of School John Quirk issued a statement on October 9 defending the school's position that the Tenbrook House, also known as the Percy Browne House after its original inhabitant, could not be saved due to the financial impracticality of renovating the deteriorating structure.



Residents took to social media to criticize the school's decision to tear the house down rather than restore it in keeping with the character of the village.

In his response to residents' negative responses, Quirk said the school had engaged the Sippican Historical Society in its search for viable options to save the house, but the effort was unsuccessful.

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a statement announcing the temporary delay in demolishing the “building of such historical and emotional interest to many” to allow the town, its residents, and anyone from the broader architectural community to make suggestions and bring ideas to the conversation.

“One of our mission tenets is to ‘promote a life-long love of learning,’ and we are always professing to our students the value of new, knowledgeable, and differing perspectives,” said Quirk. “To turn an over-confident blind-eye to the perspectives we have been receiving would be out of line with how we want to be as a school and how we want our students to be as thoughtful citizens. I don’t know that the essential conflicts of this dilemma are fully resolvable, and I want to be careful to manage peoples’ expectations on that matter.”

Quirk continued, “Some of the most creatively beneficial solutions arise, however, when thoughtful and careful problem-solvers bring their divergent perspectives and resources together into one goal-oriented conversation. Perhaps that can happen here and that would be a great outcome.

“No matter the outcome the investment of a few months and some open conversation is worthwhile, and I’m pleased we’re in position to delay,” said Quirk. “We will see what the next number of weeks bring in terms of opportunity, and adjust to reflect whatever progress is being made.”

The school included in its statement the disclaimer that it remains doubtful that a viable option exists that would appropriately satisfy the school’s needs and remain financially feasible.

Tabor’s plan to raze Tenbrook and expand the campus at the site had already entered the permitting process when public debate arose last month. It was originally slated for completion in early winter.

Not to Entangle a Right Whale

By George B. Emmons

The right whale is so named because it is the right one to hunt as it often swims close to shore and is

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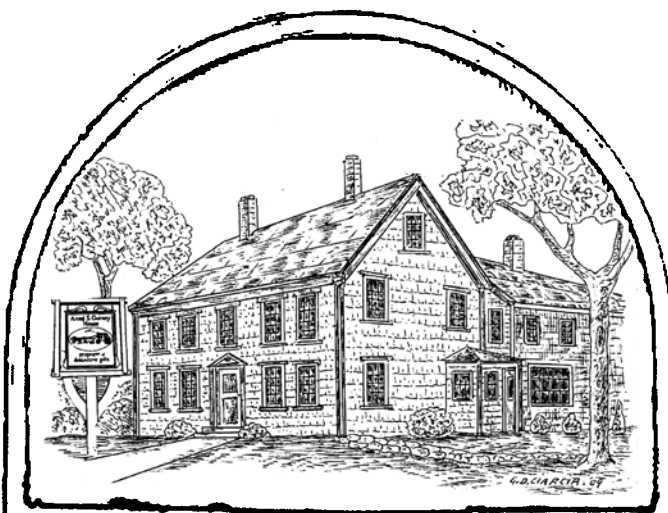
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quite docile, not afraid of approaching boats, and floats when killed. As such, right whales have been hunted nearly to extinction and are classified as endangered by the entanglement of fishing nets and lobster traps, as illustrated.

The right whale is the second largest whale in the world, next to the blue whale in size, and both are on display at the New Bedford Whaling Museum. Right whales were first sighted along the New England coast by Pilgrims on the Mayflower, even before they landed at Plymouth in 1620. In the years to follow, the first settlers along the Long Island coastline reported Indians hunting right whales with harpoons made of whalebone and tied with a rope made of strips of tree bark.

Native American Montauk and Shinnecock tribes both shared in the rise of so-called offshore whaling. The coastline industry peaked there in the year 1726 when 86 right whales were harvested in the sound and shipped to Boston.

In Puritan religion, whaling on the Sabbath was not permitted and those sighted on Sunday could not be harvested.

Right whales were often found beached after a storm, and one-third of the monetary take from such a find went to the person who found it; one-third went to the town, and one-third went to the church.

When the Dutch took over New York from the English, the government decreed that the growing whaling income should be taxed and paid to the Chamber of Commerce. However, the whaler's local representative, Samuel Mulford, strongly objected, and he went to London in both 1704 and 1706 to plead that King James give perpetual rights to fish coastal waters without interference.

My wife, Jan, is descended from Mulford on her mother's side of the family. Although he appeared before the House of Lords dressed as a humble plainspoken commoner, he won his case. The offshore industry continued to be lucrative for residents. However, in 1712, Captain Christopher Hussey, a whaler out of New Bedford, was blown far out to sea and discovered a pod of sperm whales, which would revolutionize and relocate

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It also turns out that the first lighthouse keeper there was Richard Pinkham, my wife Jan's paternal great, great, grandfather. Consequently, his name is mentioned amongst Nantucket's history and heritage with other family names such as Coffin, Macy, Starbuck, and Folger.

Richard Pinkham was also the first to chart Nantucket waters and mark the

channels through shoals and sandbars that would allow ships to enter with barrels of spermaceti from the sperm whale, which was worth its weight in silver, and which would eventually light up the world as candlewax.

Today only about 400 right whales are left in the world, and every year the number of right whales decreases from entanglements with fishing nets and lines from lobster traps. Right whales are dying faster than they can reproduce. A bipartisan bill just passed in Congress on October 18 entitled "Save Right Whales Act" that





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would provide funding for conservation and research, and a firm called Ashored Innovations in Nova Scotia has also devised a rope-less lobster trap. Both are steps in the right direction for the hope of the right whale, and hopefully will save it from extinction.

Two Projects Closing in on Approval

Rochester Planning Board

By Jean Perry

The Rochester Planning Board is preparing to wrap up two prominent agenda listings come January: the solar farm project proposed for Middleboro Road and the Repurpose Properties age-restricted housing development slated for Rounseville Road beside Plumb Corner.

On November 12, the board discussed the Middleboro Road solar farm proposal filed by Pedro Rodriguez of Solar MA Project Management and scheduled the board's first site visit for November 24.

"This one's been kicked around for a long time before we headed to the hearing stage," said Planning Board Chairman Arnie Johnson during a follow-up. "I would expect that we'll have a decision on that by the end of January."

The Middleboro Road solar farm project has been in the pipeline for nearly a year, Johnson said, even months before the recent filing of the Special Permit application.

Across the street from the Town Hall, the REpurpose Properties project now has very few remaining issues left to iron out, Johnson said.

"The board is mostly waiting for engineering," Johnson told *The Wanderer*. "A few things, nothing major."

"We'll probably be done with [the REpurpose Properties project] in January as well," Johnson continued. "We're waiting for engineering reports on both projects." Johnson was referring to this project as well as the Middleboro Road solar project. "I don't anticipate anything major coming out of them."

Members of the Rochester Historic District Commission attended the Planning Board meeting on November 12 and confirmed that they held no concerns about the REpurpose Properties site regarding any



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matters under the commission's jurisdiction.

In other matters, the Planning Board will conduct a site visit at the Mendell Road solar farm site on November 24 to sign off on the project as complete.

The board accepted an Approval Not Required application for the 40R project proposed by Steen Realty and Development Corporation to be located where Route 28 and Route 58 meet.

"And we'll probably have a filing for the 40R development by January, too," Johnson stated.

The next meeting of the Rochester Planning Board is scheduled for December 10 at 7:00 pm at the Rochester Town Hall.

Dog Poo Trumps ATV Use in Marion

By Jean Perry

For Marion's Open Space Acquisition Commission, its pet peeve has historically been the illegal use of motor vehicles and all-terrain vehicles (ATVs), which mars the trails of the public conservation space under its stewardship. Now, it's your pet's poo that peeves the commission.

The Goldavitz Bog, a 75.57-acre property off Old Indian Trail, has been afflicted by illegal ATV use for some time now. These days, though, MOSAC is less concerned about tire prints left behind and more concerned with paw prints leaving behind something else.

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dramatically in the fall, but the poo traffic has increased," said MOSAC member Alan Harris.

Harris said signs prohibiting the use of ATVs on the land have been placed on various MOSAC properties including at Goldavitz Bog and Grassi Bog, which seems to have helped mitigate the problem, "But there is poo there," said Harris.

Harris told *The Wanderer* that both locations are protected in part because of their value to reduce pollutants from runoff that would have existed had the land been developed into housing.

"Dog wastes can have significant nitrogen that leads to eutrophication (excessive accumulation of nutrients in water that leads to algae blooms and low oxygen levels), as well as the 'ick' factor and potential disease issues for other dogs and children," said Harris. And while the problem doesn't seem to be as bad as in other areas he has seen, Harris said, "It seems important to create an expectation that dog owners will take care of their dog's waste."

Another area of concern is Great Swamp Loop off Joanne Drive, with "a consistent pile up" of dog poo, Harris said. "Probably one dog going near the same spot on a regular walk."

According to Harris, the White Eagle property in Aucot Woods has also had its share of piles, "but not a huge number," he said. "I'd like to keep it that way."

Aside from a health regulation fining inconsiderate dog owners for not picking up after their dogs on public beaches, the Town of Marion has no other enforceable law to penalize dog owners with a bad habit of leaving a trail of dog poo in their pet's wake.

"It's bad enough that you have to deal with ticks and mosquitos and poison ivy..." said MOSAC Chairman John Rockwell, let alone "dog [expletive]".

Tri-Town Teen Nicotine Withdrawal Prompts Concern

By Jean Perry

Marion Public Health Nurse Kathleen Downey says adults in the Tri-Town have begun to contact her concerned about Tri-Town teens presenting with signs of

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nicotine addiction.

Downey initially introduced this topic to the Board of Health last week when she said, "I've had multiple conversations with parents at flu clinics and at my office concerned about kids in the school who they believe have exhibited addiction behaviors."

What these parents are seeing, Downey said, is a surge in cigarette use among Tri-Town teens and their friends – a consequence of the state's September 24 ban on all e-cigarette and vaping products which cut off the steady supply of electronic nicotine products that were once relatively accessible to them.

"They feel that the kids are substituting cigarettes for e-cigarettes," said Downey, and she suggested that

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public health officials and school administrators should take action to help young people overcome a likely nicotine addiction.

"Addiction needs to be treated, whether it's cigarettes or opioids or alcohol," said Downey, "and kids should be sent to their medical provider."

Downey said last week that she wasn't making any demands of the board, but said, "Just know that we recognize that there may be some addiction issues among youth, and the strategies that the state had put in place for adults are not easily transferable to youths."

During a follow-up with *The Wanderer* this Tuesday, November 12, Downey said the preoccupation persists. She is pleased that, after reaching out to

Superintendent of Schools Doug White, White had responded by assuring Downey that he would be contacting the school doctor on the matter.

Downey's main concern is that if kids are being affected by an abrupt discontinued use of e-cigarette and vaping products and exhibiting signs of nicotine addiction, the mitigating measures offered to adults over the age of 18 – nicotine patches, lozenges, and gum the state has ordered pharmacies to readily provide without a prescription – are less available to younger people. Kids would have to approach their parents for help in combatting nicotine withdrawal and visit their primary care physicians, something Downey recommends parents do so that kids can get the help they need.

"Vaping has been going on quite a while, and the adolescent population of Tri-Town – many kids have at least tried [vaping] and many kids are regular users," said Downey. "And to all of a sudden remove the substance – wondering if kids were addicted was becoming problematic, and kids were coming home and talking about their friends as being addicted."

The 2015 piloting of a risk survey completed by students at Old Rochester Regional Junior and Senior High Schools showed that just four years ago, 24 percent of ORR High students were vaping, and 7 percent in the junior high. A 2017 statewide youth survey showed 41 percent of high school students had at least tried vaping, along with 9.9 percent of junior high students.

"The adults in the room should recognize – without judgment – that they're dealing with addiction and get them to a primary care provider to help them with their addiction," said Downey. Otherwise, she said she fears more kids will turn to cigarettes.

"One mom told me she was concerned about her son, questioning whether or not he could be going through withdrawal," said Downey. "She thought he was."

Two other parents who recently spoke with Downey are "concerned that nobody was paying attention to it," she said.

"Unfortunately, they (kids) can't just walk away," said Downey. Safe substitute nicotine products need to be

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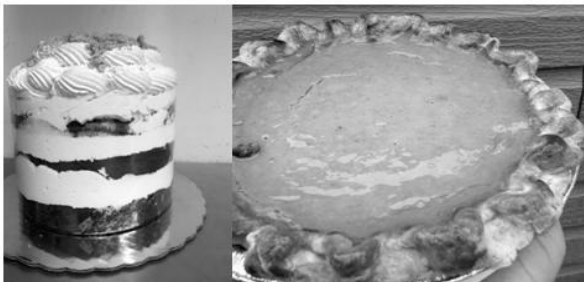


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made available, she added.

Downey said anyone anywhere in the community with a concern about youth nicotine addiction may contact her by calling her office at 508-748-3507.

Adults can encourage teens and adolescents to seek help with nicotine withdrawal on their own terms by utilizing a number of different services provided by the state. Young people can text "VapeFreeMass" to 88709 to get started, or call or text "Start My Quit" to 855-891-9989 for free confidential help. The same help is provided by signing up at www.mylifemyquit.com.

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Marion Develops ADA Compliance Mindset

Marion Planning Board

By Jean Perry

Marion Town Planner Gil Gilario informed the Planning Board on November 4 that he has submitted an application for an Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) grant to fund a self-evaluation of town facilities and an accompanying transition plan to move Marion closer to ADA compliance and handicap accessibility.

October was a busy month for Gilario when it came to applying for grants, but he hopes the October 16 ADA grant application he filed with the state will be awarded to the town so it can hire a consultant to undertake the evaluation of all town-owned buildings and parks for ADA compliance, make a list, and formulate a plan of action in order to apply for further ADA grants to fund potential accessibility projects.

The state allows municipalities to apply for up to \$250,000 a year in grant funding from the Massachusetts Office on Disability. The state has made \$2 million available for such grants annually.

For now, Gilario said, "Forget about the buildings being compliant to ADA code. We're required to have a plan and we're not even there yet."

Once the evaluation and plan are completed, only then can the real work begin.

"This grant would hopefully at least get us that far," said Gilario. "A lot of people think that it's just having your buildings up to code; but, no. You're required by federal law to have a plan – it's called an ADA transition plan, so, hopefully, this grant would allow us to get one paid for us."

Gilario said the evaluation will also assess the town's website for accessibility, ease of use, and "how easy it is to find information and things like that," he said.

Also during the meeting, the board accepted the Approval Not Required application filed by Laura McCord Grauer, 23 Water Street.

The public hearing for the Definitive Subdivision off Beach Street filed by 22 Cove Street, LLC was discussed and then continued again until November 18 in order to allow time for the board's peer-review engineer to provide further input and give the applicant's engineer, David Davignon, time to make the necessary adjustments to the plan.

The next meeting of the Marion Planning Board is scheduled for November 18 at 7:00 pm at the Marion Town House.

Town Counsel Directs BOH to Uncondemn House

Marion Board of Health

By Jean Perry

During a November 12 emergency meeting of the Marion Board of Health, Town Administrator Jay McGrail was present to advise the board to rescind its November 5

vote condemning a house on Wianno Road.

"I'm concerned about the order that you placed on the property," said McGrail. McGrail said that after he was made aware of the board's vote to condemn the house, he consulted with town counsel and Police Chief John Garcia after he reviewed the process Health Director Karen Walega followed leading up to her request last week asking the board to condemn the house.

"I'm recommending that you rescind the condemnation order," stated McGrail. "There are some situations at the house that obviously need to be dealt with," he added, but the process the board took in condemning the house was improper and "may make it harder to deal with the issue later on..."

According to Chapter 2 of the State Sanitary Code, local boards of health are authorized to enforce of the state's sanitary standards and the enforcement process is quite specific. The process begins with an appointment for a representative of the board of health to inspect the dwelling with the property owner present in order to determine if there are any violations and, if so, what repairs or alterations must be made to bring the dwelling into compliance.

The board's representative – in this case, Walega – must fill out an inspection report containing specific details mandated by the state, which must include a list of violations and a brief summary of the legal remedies available to the occupant or the property owner, and



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In this case, the occupant is an elderly woman with a heart condition that has resulted in at least two long-term stays in the hospital.

According to Walega, the home is infested with bedbugs and an accumulation of belongings has at one point impacted the ability to safely pass through the house.

On November 5, Walega asked the board to condemn the house while it was still vacant to prevent the woman from returning to "unsafe" living conditions. But,



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according to McGrail, the process by which Walega led the board in condemning the house was improper.

In a follow-up with *The Wanderer*, McGrail described the process taken in condemning the elderly woman's home as "archaic" to a degree.

"You can't condemn a house due to a bedbug infestation – you just can't," said McGrail.

The property owner's son was not present for the November 5 meeting and was therefore unable to address the board on his mother's behalf, but on November 12, he was at the Town House to discuss the matter and confirmed the insect infestation, as well as the presence of mold spores that have since been treated. The insect infestation has proven to be more difficult and costly than anticipated.

The property owner's son described the duress he has experienced while trying to support his mother throughout her hardship and lamented the assistance state social workers have provided him and his mother, saying that he is "appalled" by their lack of compassion and he may seek legal counsel.

His mother remains hospitalized.

Board of Health member Dot Brown made the motion town counsel crafted for the board to rescind the prior vote condemning the house. The conclusion to the motion was cautionary: "We (the board) urge the homeowner to take prompt and comprehensive actions to remediate these public health conditions without delay."



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McGrail suggested that the elderly homeowner may qualify for emergency funding through the Marion Council on Aging and offered to assist her son in the process.

Public Health Nurse Kathleen Downey also offered her support without judgment, saying, "We're trying to put your mom in a safe position now and we're trying to work as a team."

Brown regretted that the board was unaware it had not followed the proper procedure and offered her support as well. She asked Walega, should another case of a potential condemnation of a house arise in the future, to compile a list summarizing Walega's visits and inspections for the board "to see it all in one place," said

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Brown. "That would just be really helpful."

Board of Health Chairman John Howard stated that during his tenure on the board he recalls having made at least one "walkthrough" of a house before condemning the property and suggested it be considered in the future.

"I think that's fair if we're putting a signature on a paper," said Howard.

McGrail further suggested that town counsel be involved in similar matters that may arise in the future.

The next regularly scheduled meeting of the Marion Board of Health will be on November 19 at 4:30 pm at the Marion Town House.

Bulldogs One Football Game Away From Gillette

High School Sports Update

By Nick Friar

Two seasons ago, Old Rochester Regional football came up short in the MIAA South Division 6 finals, losing 30-21 to Middleboro. In 2018, the Bulldogs made it back to the title game, knocked off Ashland 28-6 and, after a bye week, had a shot at the ultimate title: MIAA Division 6 Super Bowl champions.

For the third year in a row, ORR is playing in the MIAA South Division 6 finals. The Bulldogs defeated No. 8 Norwell 22-15 in the South Sectional semi-finals to get there.

As he has throughout much of the season,

Jackson Cote paced the ORR offense on the ground. The running back scored the final Bulldogs touchdown – the game-winner – and finished with 117 yards on 25 rushes (4.68 yards per carry).

Ryon Thomas continues to take advantage of his limited throwing opportunities. In the win over Norwell, he completed four of his six attempts to finish with 115 yards. Three of his completions went to **Tommy Durocher**, one of those being a 44-yard touchdown.

Cam Brezinski also scored once for the Bulldogs, and **Dylan DeWolfe** forced a safety on defense.

ORR will now face the same team they beat last season in the South Sectional finals: No. 3 Ashland.

Ashland is only remaining team from the group that entered the tournament undefeated, with No. 1 Cardinal Spellman and No. 2 Rockland being the others. Cardinal Spellman was upset by Norwell in the opening round and Rockland lost 33-16 to Ashland.

The game will be at Ashland High School on Friday at 7:00 pm.

Over to Cross Country, **Alex Craig** finished second overall for ORR at the Div. 4 Eastern Cross Country Championship and has earned a place in the Div. 2 All-State Championship on Saturday. He ran the race in 16:13.53, trailing the leader by 16 seconds.

ORR girls soccer came close at a perfect season, but finished just shy of the mark. After winning all 20 of their regular season games, the Bulldogs won their first-round matchup against No. 17 Hopkinton 3-1. But No. 1 Old Rochester's run would come to an in the MIAA Div. 2 South Sectional quarter finals. No. 8 Medway worked its way to a 2-1 win. Medway also won in the semi-finals and is set to face No. 2 Holliston in the finals.

Meg Hughes scored ORR's lone goal in the loss to Medway. It came in the first two minutes of the game.

Maddie Wright scored twice in ORR's win over Hopkinton and assisted **Jenn Williams'** goal.

Old Colony

Old Colony football's playoff push ended sooner than the Cougars would've liked. After earning a 22-21 win against a familiar foe in No. 7 Upper Cape in the opening round of the Div. 8 South Sectional tournament,

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the second-ranked Cougars had to get through the one team that beat them in the regular season: No. 3 South Shore.

In their prior matchup, South Shore scored 14 points. They did so again in the South Sectional semi-finals, and, once again, the Cougars could not get past the Vikings, losing 14-8.

Blake Dennison scored Old Colony's lone touchdown on a 22-yard rush. He had 62 yards on 15 carries.

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defeat Article One: Adult use marijuana establishments.
Thank you again for a very good job!! Extremely well
done.

Thankfully,
George Randall, Mattapoisett

Tenbrook House Update from Tabor Academy

Tabor Academy has decided to temporarily delay
its plan to take down the Percy Browne House (known in
Marion as the Tenbrook House), in order to consider more
fully what options there might be for a building of such
historical and emotional interest to many.

While the school remains concerned about the
viability of an in situ restoration or plans for re-purposing



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that satisfy both Tabor's fiscal responsibilities and its programmatic desires, the welcome advice, guidance and perspectives from others in the Town of Marion and from the broader architectural community suggest that perhaps other resources could be brought into the discussion or alternative plans developed. Head of School John Quirk said, "One of our mission tenets is to 'promote a life-long love of learning,' and we are always professing to our students the value of new, knowledgeable, and differing perspectives. To turn an over-confident blind-eye to the perspectives we have been receiving would be out of line with how we want to be as a school and how we want our students to be as thoughtful citizens. I don't know that the essential conflicts of this dilemma are fully resolvable,

and I want to be careful to manage peoples' expectations on that matter. Some of the most creatively beneficial solutions arise, however, when thoughtful and careful problem-solvers bring their divergent perspectives and resources together into one goal-oriented conversation. Perhaps that can happen here and that would be a great outcome. No matter the outcome the investment of a few months and some open conversation is worthwhile, and I'm pleased we're in a position to delay. We will see what the next number of weeks bring in terms of opportunity, and adjust to reflect whatever progress is being made."

Mattapoisett Woman's Club November Meeting

On **November 21** at 11:00 am in Reynard Hall at the Mattapoisett Congregational Church, the Mattapoisett Woman's Club will have their November Luncheon. This month's speaker will be Mary Smoyer. Ms. Smoyer is a member of "Lighting the Way: Historic Women of the South-Coast" (a New Bedford Whaling History installment), and has been on the Steering Committee of Lighting the Way (LTW) from its beginning. She will share remarkable stories of women and their callings that required grit, tenacity, and enduring commitment to their families, careers, and communities.

Members of the Club begin gathering at 11:00 am and at 11:30 am, the meeting begins. The luncheon provided by MWC members usually starts at 11:45 am



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Town of Rochester Tax Bills

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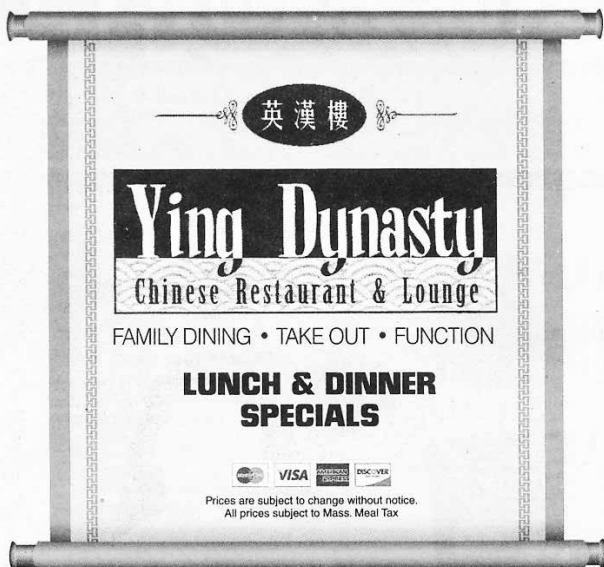


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Rochester Women's Club Holiday News

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The pies are \$15 each and all funds raised from this event will help support the RWC scholarship fund. The Rochester Women's Club gives out three \$1,000 scholarships to graduating high school seniors that live in Rochester.

The pies must be ordered by **November 22**. Pie pick up is at the clubhouse, located at 37 Marion Road in Rochester on November 27 from 4:30 to 5:30. To order your delicious homemade pie, call Marsha at 508 322 0998.

Sippican Historical Society

In 1998, the Sippican Historical Society commissioned an architectural survey of Marion's historic homes and buildings. The survey was funded half by the Sippican Historical Society and half by the Massachusetts Historical Commission. Due to the limits of funding, not all of the historic buildings were surveyed, but over 100 were cataloged and photographed. The results of the survey are in digital form on the Massachusetts Historical Commission's website and in four binders in the Sippican Historical Society's office (and at the Marion Town Clerk's office).

Marion (Old Rochester) is one of the oldest towns in the United States, and the Sippican Historical Society maintains an extensive collection of documentation on its historic buildings. The Sippican Historical Society will preview one building a week so that the residents of Marion can understand more about its unique historical architecture.

This installment features 43 Main Street. The residence at 43 Main Street, on the corner of School Street, was built in 1830 and was originally

a primary schoolhouse for village children and the third public school in the town center. In 1855, a group of townspeople (including 21 captains) met in this schoolhouse to form the Library Association for Sippican Village. Each subscriber contributed \$5 per year, and Mrs. Elizabeth Taber sent a donation of \$200.



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Just 45 minutes of your time can help save lives. People undergoing treatment for cancer, as well as accident victims, transplant recipients, and many other patients depend on transfusions. Volunteer donors are the only source of blood products for these patients.

A photo ID is required and donors must be at least 17 years of age. Appointments take about 45 minutes.

Rochester Historical Society Potluck Supper

Join the Rochester Historical Society at their annual Potluck Supper at the Museum located at 355 County Road, Rochester. The potluck supper will be held on Wednesday, **November 20** at 6:00 pm and it takes the place of the regular RHS speakers meeting; there is no cost to attend. If you can make it, please contact Connie Eshbach at 508-763-4932 and let her know what you will be bringing. Should you decide at the last minute to come, please do so; just bring a dish to share. It's the perfect time to meet some new people and perhaps you'll decide to attend RHS's monthly Board of Directors meetings. We'd love to have some new people with new ideas. Go through your house and bring an item for our Yankee Swap.

Tabor Academy Hosts Special Olympics MA

Tabor Academy enjoyed a morning of service where they hosted athletes from Special Olympics MA on Wednesday for a day of School Day Games. The weather was perfect and the Tabor community showed up ready to make the day special for over 250 athletes and their teachers.

The smiles on the faces of the unified teams were memorable as the students played basketball, volleyball, and enjoyed weightlifting, fitness events, tumbling and field games such as frisbee, football, soccer, bocce and so

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Tim Cleary, Dean of Students, shared, "Our day with Special Olympics was a highlight of the fall for me." He added that the Special Olympics representatives and the teachers coming from area schools told him they had never seen students engage in these events as well as the Tabor students. Perhaps the best feedback he received was from one of the athletes who exclaimed that they made "a new best friend" today. One of the guest teacher's shared this comment about their student's experience: "(This student) rarely makes eye-contact with anyone and often has her chin buried in her chest. She also never gets involved on her own. By the end of the day, she was seeking out the Tabor kids to play without any coaxing from us. And, look at her chin! She is holding it high!" Other comments were similar, sharing new ways children were challenging themselves by trying new activities and making contact with new people with enthusiasm.

While most of the school was hosting Special Olympics, the sophomore class was enjoying some time at Carney Academy in New Bedford helping their students with a literacy project. Cleary reported, "The sophomores brought similar energy to their task and also enjoyed making some new friends. We are incredibly proud of our students, each of whom did their part to help out and



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create a morning full of positive energy and fun, wherever they were, whatever their part. Their empathy and joy shone through in every way."

Tabor Academy invites the community to join them for their next event for "Special Olympics: The Polar Plunge" on **December 15** at 11:15 am, at Silvershell Beach in Marion. The student-run club at Tabor is working hard to sign up plungers with great success. It is likely that this year's event will be one of their largest! For registration information, contact Ellie Gamache at: ellie.gamache@specialolympicsma.org


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ORRJH Students of the Month

Silas D. Coellner, Principal of Old Rochester Regional Junior High School, announces the following Students of the Month for October 2019:

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Orange Team: Macy Ingham and Tyler Williams

Blue Team: Ella Bartholomew and James Dunn

Red Team: Lyra Demendonca and Shaun Miranda

Special Areas: Teresa Adams and Henry Cooney

It's Coming—The Holiday Fair

The Mattapoisett Congregational Church's annual Holiday Fair will be held on Saturday, **December 7** from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm. A host of holiday items will be featured in Reynard Hall, 27 Church Street, Mattapoisett.

You will find all your favorites: hand-knitted apparel, jewelry, new and heirloom treasures in silver, crystal and china, as well as unique gifts and holiday decorations. The busy holiday season is less stressful with the purchase of delicious baked goodies and sweets and homemade frozen entrees. There will be raffles for gift baskets, incredible silent auction items and more.

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On Fridays in November at 3:15 pm, the library will host a fall crafts workshop series for children. This series includes a CD Disc Suncatcher on **December 15** for all ages and a Simple Fall Wreath for ages 8 and up on **December 22**. Registration is required.

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with a Winter Holiday Sing-a-long, Celebration of the Nutcracker with Kay Alden, Edible Lighthouse Holiday Decorating, a visit with the "snow sisters", Elsa and Anna and our monthly STEAM session which will focus on making your own toys.

All programs are free and open to the public. If special accommodations are needed, please contact the library at 508-758-4171 for assistance. For more information on up-coming children's programs, please visit: www.mattapoisettlibrary.org/childrens.

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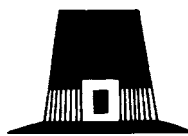
New Board Members Elected - The Marion Art Center (MAC) Board of Directors welcomes five new members, who were approved at the MAC October 17 meeting. New board members are: Suzanne Bellanger, currently Manager of Strategic Stewardship for Brown University, who has a background in marketing and development for nonprofits; Kate Corkum, who recently retired from her long-time position as Executive Director of the Rotch-Jones-Duff House and Garden Museum in New Bedford; Anthi Frangiadis, an architect with her own independent practice, an artist, and the proprietor of the Drawing Room in New Bedford; Mike Malone, a financial consultant with Price Waterhouse, who previously worked for much of his career at the Federal Reserve; and Kim Tirrell, currently Client Relationship Manager at American Research and Management Company, who previously was the Finance and Administration Director for the Coalition for Buzzards Bay and Executive Director of the Marion Institute.

The following individuals continue to serve on the MAC board: President Jennifer Wolfe Webb, Vice President Wendy Cullum, Secretary / Clerk Holly McDonough, Treasurer Nate Stewart, Jack Boesen, Heather Parsons, Michael Sudofsky, and Philip Tifft. The MAC board also recognizes the significant contributions of departing board members: former Vice President Clare Healy Foley, MaryBeth Mathieu, Anna Ward, and Liz West.

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November 22, with a reception from 6:00 to 8:00 pm. The new exhibition will feature original works by roughly twenty artists, plus a curated selection of handmade goods. All items will be available for sale and immediate collection upon purchase, including artworks. Additionally, the MAC will host two days of the Holiday Shop on Friday, **December 13** and Saturday, **December 14**, from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm each day. Exhibitor booths throughout both gallery spaces will feature a larger inventory of boutique items for sale including wood crafts, jewelry, garments, accessories, and more. The MAC will be a featured stop on the Marion House Tour, scheduled on December 14.

Emmalina Scrooge on the MAC Stage - The Marion Art Center Theater is pleased to present Emmalina Scrooge, written by Steph DeFerie and directed by Jennifer Palmer. Performance dates are **December 6, 7, 13, 14, and 15**. All Friday and Saturday shows will begin at 7:30 pm, while the Sunday, December 15 matinee will begin at 2:00 pm. The cast includes: Lily Ambrosi, Genevieve Arone, Jack Boesen, Lee Bonia, Lily Bonia, Alane Carbone, Holden Campbell, Edie Dupre, Molly Dupre, Jackson Gillman, Suzie Kokkins, Thomas O'Shaughnessy, Zoe Pateakos, Angela Pedulli, Christian Pedulli, and Grace Ripley. Crew includes Andrea Cantin, Steve McManus, and Frank Mitchell.

Why is young Emmy Scrooge such a... well... scrooge? Perhaps a visit from Charles Dickens and two ghostly sisters can persuade her to have a change of heart. But when even the spirit of her thrice-great-grandfather gives up on her, things don't look promising... Sure to become your new holiday favorite!

Tickets are on sale now to MAC members for \$18 and can be purchased in person or by phone. Beginning Friday, November 15, tickets will be available online and to nonmembers for \$20. The MAC is offering a special price of \$12 for children aged twelve and under. There will be no cabaret seating for this production. Visit marionartcenter.org for more information.

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on Tuesday, **November 19** from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm, at BB's Bar & Grill, 2424 Cranberry Highway, Wareham. Food is available for purchase. The business meeting will be followed by a discussion by Dartmouth-based artist Heather Stivison. Stivison has studied at Parsons School of Design, Montclair State University, Rhode Island School of Design, and the University of Massachusetts Dartmouth. She spent nearly two decades as a museum professional, most recently as the executive director of the Stickley Museum at Craftsman Farms. She was also president of the New Jersey Association of Museums, and later as president of the Mid-Atlantic Association of Museums. Like the sea she paints, Heather Stivison is multi-faceted and changeable. New members are welcome. Please see our Facebook page at The Official Bourne-Wareham Art Association.

Rochester Council on Aging

The full monthly newsletter and calendar are available on the Rochester COA website: www.rochestermaseniorcenter.com. Events and photographs are also posted on the Rochester COA Facebook page: www.facebook.com/Rochestercoa.

The Rochester Senior Center has several special luncheon's coming up. A donation of \$5 per luncheon is suggested. Please call the Senior Center at 508-763-8723, or stop in to make a reservation. Rides to and from events at the COA can be scheduled up to 24 hours in advance.

Monday, November 18 at 12:00 pm, Hanna Milhench and her talented team will prepare a delicious homemade lunch.

Monday, November 25 at 12:00 pm, the breakfast chef, Ken Vieira, and Outreach Worker, Lorraine Thompson, are cooking up a traditional "boiled dinner".

Chair Yoga follows Monday luncheons at 1:15 pm. Bring a friend and make an afternoon of it.

Flu shots are available during the nursing hours/ Blood Pressure Clinic while supplies last on Wednesdays from 10:00 am to 12:30 pm.

The Rochester Senior Center is closing at 2:00 pm on Wednesday, November 27. The Center will re-open on Monday, December 2. Happy Thanksgiving from the Rochester Senior Center and the Council on Aging Board.

The Rochester Senior Center and seniors would like to offer a heartfelt thank you to the students and teachers at Old Colony Regional Vocational Technical High School and the Rochester Fire Department for your time and efforts supporting the Thanksgiving Dinner for Rochester Seniors. You are among our many blessings.

Bishop Stang Present *Arsenic and Old Lace*

The Bishop Stang Theatre Company will present celebrated playwright Joseph Kesselring's *Arsenic and Old Lace*. Welcome to the world of the Brewster family filled with colorful characters and witty plot twists, this quirky comedy is one for the ages.

Yes, the Brewsters are an eccentric bunch: good-hearted drama critic who hates the theatre, Mortimer Brewster (Caleb Hughes), appears to lead a normal, happy life. Recently engaged to be married to Elaine (Myra Wong), Mortimer visits his charming, spinster aunts, Abby Brewster (Phoenix Carreiro) and Martha Brewster (Ellen Scarano). However, shortly after Mortimer's arrival, he discovers that his innocent aunts have a deadly secret buried in the basement – about a dozen older gentlemen. To Mortimer's dismay, Abby and Martha deem their poisonous habits as charitable acts; convinced that they are putting these men out of their misery. Attempting to protect society without sending Abby and Martha to prison, hilarity and madness ensues as Mortimer tries to wrangle in his crazy aunts, along with his brothers – Theodore (Xavier Markey), who believes he is Theodore Roosevelt, and maniacal, murderous Jonathan (Philip Marcalo) along with his partner in crime, a phony plastic surgeon, Dr. Einstein (Lily Saulnier). This combination of characters leads to a mix of laugh-out-loud hilarity and macabre mayhem. Rounding out the ensemble are Emma Chausse, David Habboosh, Nashwan Habboosh, Neda Habboosh, Andrew Magalhaes, Allison Pereira, and Ryan Saucier.

There is a special remembrance of Ryan Howarth '99, whose classmates reunited in October and raised money for this production in his memory. Classmates and family members will be present at the Friday



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Gifts To Give Friend & Fund Raiser

The Sixth Annual Holiday Crafts Fair for a Cause to benefit GiftsToGive will be on Sunday, **December 8** from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm at GiftsToGive, 1 Titleist Drive, Acushnet. Shop local – spend a little, and give a lot. 100 percent of the proceeds will support local programming for children. There will be 58 local vendors and something for everyone. Holiday items, unique gifts, wood, glass, textiles, jewelry, candles, body scrubs, essential oils, CBD products, pet supplies, Girl Scout cookies, and more. Enjoy the bake sale, silent auction, and door prizes. The admission is free and there is no fee to park. The thrift store will also be open, and there will be appearances by local pageant title-holders.

ORRJH Senior Citizen Thanksgiving Banquet

The 29th annual Thanksgiving Dinner for Tri-Town (Marion, Mattapoisett, and Rochester) senior citizens, sponsored by the eighth-grade class of Old Rochester Regional Junior High School, will be held

on Sunday, **November 24**, 2019 at 12:00 pm in the O.R.R.J.H.S. cafeteria. (Doors will open at 11:15 am). Three hundred tickets will be available, 100 per town, distributed through the local Councils on Aging. Shut-in meals will also be available. Please notify your local Council on Aging with the names and address of the intended recipient.

Any individual or local business interested in making cash contributions or donating door prizes should call the junior high at (508) 758-4928 and speak with Mr. Silas Coellner, Principal. As always, we look forward to the continued support of the Tri-Town communities.

White Cedar Preserve

White Cedar Preserve was acquired in partnership with the Buzzards Bay Coalition and the Town of Rochester Conservation Commission and was made possible by funding from the Buzzards Bay National Estuary Program, the State of Massachusetts Conservation Partnership Program, and the North American Wetlands Conservation Act. It is located at the intersection of Walnut Plain Road and Estabrook Way. (For those using GPS, enter “1 Estabrook Way”.)

The 83-acre parcel is very diverse, varied terrain: upland to wetland, and home to a white cedar bog. You can walk the trail in either direction from field to wooded pathways, heading toward a large bog of white cedar. The trail winds through white pine and deciduous trees, including swamp birch, black tupelo, and red maple. There is a break in the trail due to swampy conditions. However, on drier days you may reach the often muddy, but beautiful terrain of the cedar swamp stands. (Walking time is 15-30 minutes.) Watch for the endangered Hessel’s Hairstreak butterfly, whose larvae feed exclusively on Atlantic White Cedar. You may find leatherleaf, waterwillow, sheep laurel, cranberry, sundew, purple pitcher, sedge, hemlock, beech, as well as holly. Be on the lookout for deer as well, as deer trails wind through the parcel.

Marion Establishes Emergency Fund for Veterans

Marion Veterans Agent Barry Denham is pleased to announce that an emergency fund has been established to further assist veterans and their spouses in times of need.

The creation of the fund was approved by the Marion Board of Selectmen on October 15.

The fund will be used to help Marion veterans and their spouses who have short-term financial needs.

The fund will be controlled by the Marion Veterans Services Office and Marion Council on Aging. Disbursement of the funds will be evaluated by both agencies on a case-by-case basis and will be released if the need cannot be met by the day-to-day services provided by local, state or federal veterans assistance programs.



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"Sometimes there are tools that we do not have in our toolbox to assist a veteran or their families," Denham said. "We wanted to establish this fund in order to provide a lifeline to help when resources are not available through other means."

Any Marion resident who meets the state's eligibility requirements to be considered a veteran is eligible to request to receive funds. A veteran's widow or widower may also request funds. Proof of residency must be provided.

The veteran's fund will be funded solely by donations. Those who would like to donate to the fund can send a check written out to the "Town of Marion" with "Veteran" in the memo line. Checks can be mailed

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Anyone with further questions can contact the Marion Veterans Services Office at 508-758-4100, Ext. 7.

Nasketucket Bird Club November Meeting

Children's book author and naturalist, Rosemary Mosco, will speak to the Nasketucket Bird Club on Thursday, **November 21** at the Mattapoisett Public Library at 7:00 pm. (This meeting was moved up because of Thanksgiving.)

Rosemary creates the science-based comic Bird and Moon. She also writes books for kids and adults, including the *Atlas Obscura Explorer's Guide for the World's*

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Most Adventurous Kid and *Birding Is My Favorite Video Game*, and has written about birds for Audubon, Mass Audubon, and other groups. She's passionate about sharing her love of birds and the natural world. Check out her website at rosemarymosco.com.

The Bird Club meetings, open to the public and handicapped accessible, are held at the Mattapoisett Free Public Library, located at the south door entrance on Barstow Street in Mattapoisett.

Check our website at massbird.org/Nasketucket/ or email our President Justin Barrett at jmbarrett426@gmail.com

Mattapoisett Community Preservation Committee

The Mattapoisett Community Preservation Committee is currently accepting project funding applications for inclusion in the Spring Annual Town Meeting. The project application is available on the Town website (www.Mattapoisett.net) and in paper from the Selectmen's office.

Applications must be received by **November 30** to be considered for recommendation at the Spring Annual Town Meeting. Applications shall be submitted to the following address: Mattapoisett Community Preservation Committee, C/O the Board of Selectmen's Office, 16 Main Street, Mattapoisett, MA 02739

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Thanksgiving Fellowship Dinner at FCCR

All are welcome to the fourth annual Thanksgiving Fellowship Dinner that will be held in the Fellowship Hall of First Congregational Church of Rochester, 11 Constitution Way, on Thanksgiving Day, Thursday, **November 28**. Doors open at noon for fellowship and a free, traditional, homemade dinner will be served at 1:00 pm. No matter how big or small your family or group may be, we hope no one is alone on Thanksgiving. There is a limit of 100 seats, so make your reservation early by calling the church office at 508-763-4314. Tickets are absolutely free! We just ask that you bring a smile and warm heart to share.

ORR Class of 1970

The ORR Class of 1970 needs your help in recreating a mailing list to send out invitations for its 50th reunion in 2020. Please email Dede Pangaro Smith at smithlil@comcast.net or Cindy Haskell at Molly5971@gmail.com.

Chamber Music Series Presents Take Five

On **November 23 and 24**, the South Coast Chamber Music Series (SCCMS) presents two enormous piano quintets that probe the boundaries of Romantic: Johannes Brahms's Piano Quintet in F Minor and Mrs. H. H. A. Beach's Piano Quintet. Pianist and SCCMS Artistic Director Janice Weber will be joined by New Bedford Symphony Orchestra musicians Jesse Holstein, violin; EmmaLee Holmes-Hicks, violin; Anna Griffis, viola; and Leo Eguchi, cello.

The remarkable Mrs. H. H. A. Beach was not only

OBITUARIES



W. Anthony Allison, MD (aka Billy, Tony), age 93 of Marion formerly of Hawaii, Philadelphia and North Carolina passed away in his residence with his loving wife by his side. He was the husband of Dale (Muther) Allison with whom he shared 54 years of marriage.

Born in Durham, NC, a son of the late Willis A. and Lyda (Hammie) Allison, he was a graduate of Hillside High School, Durham and Morgan State College for his undergraduate studies and Ludwig Maximilian University of Munich, Germany, graduating with a medical degree. He served in the United States Army attaining the rank of Sargent. Tony practiced as a pediatric surgeon at Mercy Douglas Hospital and St. Joseph Hospital in Philadelphia; he also cared for patients with muscular-skeletal disorders for over 20 years in various VA hospitals. He loved his wife and family dearly, enjoyed reading, tennis and playing the piano and classical guitar.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by his three daughters, Patricia M. Dillard and her husband Gregory of Texas; Vivian A. Shelton and her husband Zachary of Virginia and Anita N. Allison of New York; 6 grandchildren, Gregory III, Lydia and Jeramiah Dillard and Jaden, Sophia and Jewel Shelton.

His memorial service will be held on Saturday, November 16, 2019 at 10:00 am in the Waring-Sullivan Home at Fairlawn, 180 Washington Street, Fairhaven, MA 02719. Relatives and friends are invited. Burial in Evergreen Cemetery, Marion. To leave a note of condolence: www.waring-sullivan.com



George J. Schneider, Jr., 91, of Wareham, died November 9, 2019 at Tobey Hospital. He was the husband of the late Cemantha A. (Treible) Schneider and the son of the late George J. Schneider, Sr. and Bertha (Dukiet) Schneider.

He was born in Irvington, NJ and lived in Rochester and Cuttyhunk before moving to Wareham 12 years ago. He graduated from Columbia High School in

Maplewood, NJ.

He was a Marine Corps Veteran of World War II and the Korean War. He received a Purple Heart. He loved his country and was very patriotic.

Mr. Schneider was a Federal Agent for the National Marine Fisheries for several years before retiring. After retiring, he worked as a commercial fisherman alongside his two sons.

He was a member of the NRA, VFW and American Legion.

Survivors include his children, Kenneth Schneider and his wife Nina of Rochester, Roy Schneider of Wareham, Nancy Schneider of Wareham, Diane Sweeney of East Free-town, Carol Schneider of Fairhaven. a sister, Cathryn Burke of Seagirt, NJ; 7 grandchildren; a great grandson. He was the father of the late George J. Schneider, III and brother of the late Marjorie Campisi.

A celebration of his life will be held at later date.

Donations in his memory may be made to the Audubon Society, 225 Varick St., 7th Floor, NY, NY 10014.

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On Saturday, November 23, the concert will take place at St. Gabriel's Episcopal Church, 124 Front Street in Marion, while on Sunday, November 24, the concert will take place at St. Peter's Episcopal Church, 351 Elm Street, South Dartmouth. Both concerts are at 4:00 pm, and admission is \$20 at the door or pre-purchase tickets online at www.nbsymphony.org/chamber-series-season-subscriptions/

The SCCMS, which merged with the NBSO in 2014, presents an annual five-concert classical chamber music series in Marion and South Dartmouth. This season, musicians from the NBSO will perform in all of the chamber concerts, bringing their unique artistry and energy to the popular series. Visit www.nbsymphony.org to learn more.

Mattapoissett Museum Holiday Arts & Crafts Fair

Avoid mall parking lots! Don't get stuck in holiday traffic! Instead, join the Mattapoissett Museum for our annual Holiday Arts and Craft Fair at 5 Church Street, Mattapoissett on Saturday, **December 7** from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. Shop for unique holiday gifts among local, one-of-a-kind items. There will be a large selection of handmade creations available: art, notecards, candles, bath bombs, woolens, photography, jewelry, ceramics, leather goods, ornaments and more. For more information call 508-758-2844 or email director@mattapoissettmuseum.org.

Putnam Murdock in Concert at the Mattapoissett Museum

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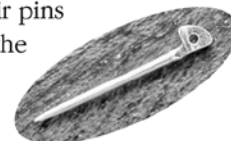


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7:30 AM Navigating the Way for Seniors
8:00 AM Senior Moment
8:30 AM Marijuana on Future Success
9:00 AM Schvitz'n with Norm
9:30 AM Tae Kwon Do
10:00 AM Health Source
10:30 AM The Curious Giraffe Show
11:00 AM Southcoast Matters TV
11:30 AM Legal Ease
12:00 PM Tri-Town TV
12:30 PM Coin & Brandon's Cooking Show!
1:00 PM Sidewalks Entertainment
1:30 PM Armchair QB
2:00 PM The Jeannine Hunt Experience
2:30 PM Neighborhoods to Nations
3:30 PM This is America & The World
4:00 PM The Human Truth
5:00 PM Building the Future
5:30 PM Registers Report
6:00 PM Tri-Town TV
6:30 PM The Cinemaniacs!
7:30 PM Beyond My Crisis
8:00 PM Science 360
8:30 PM Money Matters TV
9:00 PM Learning Music with Pat
9:30 PM Dukes of Sports
10:30 PM The David Pakman Show
11:30 PM Democracy Now!

Friday November 15, 2019

7:00 AM Seniorize
7:30 AM Health Source
8:00 AM 30 Medical Minutes
8:30 AM Tae Kwon Do
9:00 AM Your Yoga Moment
9:30 AM Schvitz'n with Norm
10:00 AM Cape Conversations
10:30 AM The Curious Giraffe Show
11:00 AM Building the Future
11:30 AM Perils for Pedestrians
12:00 PM Tri-Town TV
12:30 PM What's Linda Cooking?
1:00 PM Sidewalks Entertainment
1:30 PM In the Toy Box
2:00 PM The Jeannine Hunt Experience
2:30 PM Neighborhoods to Nations
3:30 PM Deutsche Welle
4:00 PM The Human Truth
5:00 PM Fox Robbins Business Report (Part 1)
5:30 PM Fox Robbins Business Report (Part 2)
6:00 PM Tri-Town TV
6:30 PM Southcoast Matters TV
7:00 PM 4 Deep Sports Talk
8:00 PM Gay USA
9:00 PM The Cinemaniacs!

10:00 PM The Kamla Show
10:30 PM The David Pakman Show
11:30 PM Democracy Now!

Saturday November 16, 2019

6:00 AM Saturday Morning Cartoons
9:00 AM What's New? Massachusetts
9:30 AM Perils for Pedestrians
10:00 AM Schvitz'n with Norm
10:30 AM The Curious Giraffe Show
11:00 AM Southcoast Matters TV
11:30 AM The Kamla Show
12:00 PM Tri-Town TV
12:30 PM Dropkick Kitchen
1:00 PM Sidewalks Entertainment
1:30 PM Off the Shelf
2:00 PM The Jeannine Hunt Experience
2:30 PM Arts Alive
3:00 PM Money Talk
3:30 PM This is America & The World
4:00 PM The Human Truth
5:00 PM Deutsche Welle
5:30 PM The World Fusion Show
6:00 PM Tri-Town TV
6:30 PM 4 Deep Sports Talk
7:30 PM Money Matters TV
8:00 PM Carpe Diem
8:30 PM Sound Off
9:30 PM Registers Report
10:00 PM Two Tones with George Lopes
10:30 PM The David Pakman Show
11:30 PM Democracy Now!

Sunday November 17, 2019

6:00 AM Veterans Voice
9:00 AM First Congregational Church of Rochester - October 27, 2019
10:00 AM Mind Matters
10:30 AM The Curious Giraffe Show
11:00 AM Health Source
11:30 AM Cape Conversation
12:00 PM Tri-Town TV
12:30 PM Dropkick Kitchen TV
1:00 PM Sidewalks Entertainment
1:30 PM The Kamla Show
2:00 PM The Jeannine Hunt Experience
2:30 PM This is America & The World
3:00 PM Gay USA
4:00 PM The Human Truth
5:00 PM Neighborhoods to Nations
6:00 PM Tri-Town TV
6:30 PM Two Grannies on the Road
7:00 PM Perils for Pedestrians
7:30 PM Dukes of Sports
8:30 PM The Cinemaniacs!
9:30 PM Ghost Chronicles
10:30 PM The David Pakman Show
11:30 PM Democracy Now!

Monday November 18, 2019

7:00 AM Seniorize

7:30 AM Navigating the Way for Seniors
8:00 AM Health Talk
8:30 AM Seniors on the Move
9:00 AM Tae Kwon Do
9:30 AM Schvitz'n with Norm
10:00 AM Learning Music with Pat
10:30 AM The Curious Giraffe Show
11:00 AM Keep Talking
11:30 AM Cape Conversation
12:00 PM Tri-Town TV
12:30 PM What's Linda Cooking?
1:00 PM Sidewalks Entertainment
1:30 PM Perils for Pedestrians
2:00 PM The Jeannine Hunt Experience
2:30 PM Garage X
3:00 PM Beyond My Crisis
3:30 PM Natasha - The Opioid Epidemic
4:00 PM The Human Truth
5:00 PM 4 Deep Sports Talk
6:00 PM Tri-Town TV
6:30 PM Off the Shelf
7:00 PM The Cinemaniacs!
8:00 PM Don't Dis My Ability
9:00 PM Deutsche Welle
9:30 PM Fox Robbins Business Report (Part 1)
10:00 PM Fox Robbins Business Report (Part 2)
10:30 PM The David Pakman Show
11:30 PM Democracy Now!

Tuesday November 19, 2019

7:00 AM Seniorize
7:30 AM 30 Medical Minutes
8:00 AM Health Talk
8:30 AM Navigating the Way for Seniors
9:00 AM Your Yoga Moment
9:30 AM Tae Kwon Do
10:00 AM Schvitz'n with Norm
10:30 AM The Curious Giraffe Show
11:00 AM Mind Your Business
11:30 AM Cape Conversation
12:00 PM Tri-Town TV
12:30 PM Dropkick Kitchen
1:00 PM Sidewalks Entertainment
1:30 PM Southcoast Matters TV
2:00 PM The Jeannine Hunt Experience
2:30 PM Learning Music with Pat
3:00 PM Sound Off
4:00 PM The Human Truth
5:00 PM Fox Robbins - It's a Funny Thing about Cost
5:30 PM Hollywood Movie Maker
6:00 PM Tri-Town TV
6:30 PM Money Matters TV
7:00 PM The World Fusion Show
7:30 PM Deutsche Welle - Conflict Zone
8:00 PM Science 360
8:30 PM Beyond My Crisis
9:00 PM Gay USA
10:00 PM Legal Ease
10:30 PM The David Pakman Show
11:30 PM Democracy Now!

Wednesday November 20, 2019
7:00 AM Seniorize
7:30 AM Seniors on the Move
8:00 AM Senior Moment
8:30 AM Health Source
9:00 AM Schvitz'n with Norm
9:30 AM Upper Cape Tech Presents Careers - Veterinary Assistant
10:00 AM Tae Kwon Do
10:30 AM The Curious Giraffe Show
11:00 AM This is America & The World
11:30 AM Southcoast Matters TV
12:00 PM Tri-Town TV
12:30 PM What's Linda Cooking?
1:00 PM Sidewalks Entertainment
1:30 PM The World Fusion Show
2:00 PM The Jeannine Hunt Experience
2:30 PM Lucy's Big Beautiful World of Painting
3:00 PM Building the Future
3:30 PM The Kamla Show
4:00 PM The Human Truth
5:00 PM The Cinemaniacs!
6:00 PM Tri-Town TV
6:30 PM Dukes of Sports
7:30 PM MA House of Representatives Formal Session - November 6, 2019
8:38 PM The Steve Katsos Show
9:30 PM Suicide Prevention
10:30 PM The David Pakman Show
11:30 PM Democracy Now!

4, 2019
9:34 AM Rochester Board of Selectman - October 21, 2019
10:00 AM Rochester Zoning Board of Appeals - October 24, 2019
11:30 AM ORR School Committee - October 23, 2019
2:00 PM Rochester Planning Board - October 22, 2019
2:33 PM ORR Joint School Committee - October 23, 2019
3:42 PM Rochester Historical Society - October 16, 2019
4:30 PM Rochester Conservation Commission - October 15, 2019
6:30 PM Rochester Conservation Commission - November 5, 2019
7:40 PM Rochester Planning Board - October 31, 2019
8:30 PM Rochester Board of Selectman - November 4, 2019
9:04 PM Rochester Board of Selectman - October 21, 2019
9:30 PM Rochester Zoning Board of Appeals - October 24, 2019
11:00 PM ORR School Committee - October 23, 2019

EDUCATION CHANNEL

Comcast Channel 97

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Daily Schedule

7:00 AM Bulldog Weekly
7:30 AM ORR Volleyball vs Dighton Rehoboth - September 25, 2019
8:30 AM Sippican Historical Society - October 9, 2019
9:14 AM New Bedford Symphony Orchestra @ RMS - October 9, 2019
10:00 AM ORR Field Hockey vs Dartmouth - October 18, 2019
11:05 AM ORR Unified Basketball vs Dartmouth - October 15, 2019
12:00 PM Bulldog Weekly
12:30 PM Two Grannies on the Road
1:00 PM Old Colony TV STEM Day 2019
1:30 PM Marion Art Center Presents - "The Women of Lockerbie"
2:47 PM OCTV
3:00 PM ORR Girls Soccer vs Apponequet - October 22, 2019
4:30 PM ORR Girls Soccer vs Duxbury - October 24, 2019
6:00 PM Bulldog Weekly
6:30 PM Tri-County Symphonic Orchestra - October 20, 2019
8:00 PM ORR Football vs Seekonk - October 25, 2019
10:00 PM Marion Music Hall Presents - "440 Gypsy Jazz"
11:32 PM OC Football vs Blue Hills - October 5, 2019

MATTAPOISETT GOVERNMENT

Comcast Channel 95

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Daily Schedule

7:00 AM Rochester Conservation Commission - November 5, 2019
8:10 AM Rochester Planning Board - October 31, 2019
9:00 AM Rochester Board of Selectman - November

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by J.P. Toomey



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Old Colony Highlanders Pipe Band Open House

Old Colony Highlanders Pipe Band will have their annual Open House on Thursday, **November 14**, at 7:30 pm at the Lakeville United Church of Christ, 1 Precinct St., Lakeville. The band will perform briefly and band members will be available afterward to meet with people.

Old Colony Highlanders is the region's premier bagpipe band, and was recognized as one of the top three bands in their respective division in the eastern United States for both 2018 and 2019, the first two years that the band competed.

Lessons are available in bagpiping, and snare, tenor, or bass drum in a rewarding and affirming atmosphere. Drummers are provided with drums at no cost to the individual while they play with OCH. On average, drum students are ready to play with the band within the first year. The band also offers classes in bagpiping. It can take somewhat longer for a bagpipe

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TriTOWN HAPPENINGS



Following the town's Veterans Day observance, the Marion Council on Aging hosted a lunch for veterans at the Benjamin D. Cushing Community Center.

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(Below) Marion observed its Veterans Day event this year by inviting U.S. Navy CDR Jesse McFadden. Inside Sippican School, town officials and residents gathered to mark the 100th "Veterans Day," which in America was previously known as Armistice Day until the day after WWII ended, Lt. Col. Joseph Napoli pointed out. Photos by Katherine Martin.



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student to be ready to perform with the band. Those considering lessons are invited to try a few classes with no obligation to join the full program.

Old Colony Highlanders Pipe Band is a nonprofit organization that was founded in order to keep these Celtic arts active in southeastern Massachusetts via teaching and performing the music of the bagpipe and drums. OCH rehearses most Thursday evenings at the Lakeville United Church of Christ. Although not affiliated with LUCC, the band is fortunate to use the meeting hall of the church.

The band performs in parades, concerts, as well as community and charity events throughout the region. OCH also fields a competition team that competes throughout the northeast. The band's competition team is going to the World Pipe Band Championships in Glasgow, Scotland in August 2020.

If you cannot make the open house but wish to learn more about playing with the band or hiring the band, contact Pipe Major Diane Wood-Bielski at 508-947-4383 or email: oldcolonyhpb@comcast.net

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TriTOWN HAPPENINGS



Mattapoisett invited guest speaker to give the main address at the annual Veterans Day observance at Old Hammondtown School on Monday. The ceremony was hosted by Rachel Perron, the new Commander of the American Legion Post 280. Photos by Marilou Newell



These photos and more are available online at www.wanderer.com

Youth Orchestras Presents Season Opener

The Southeastern Massachusetts Youth Orchestras (SEMAYO) presents its first concert of the season on Sunday, **November 24** at 3:00 pm, at Matthew J. Kuss Middle School in Fall River.

SEMAYO brings together young musicians from across the region to participate in an educational and artistic experience in a full orchestra setting. The fall concert features SEMAYO's five ensembles: the Symphony Orchestra conducted by Senior Conductor Tobias Monte, Repertory Orchestra under the direction of Nicole Laprise-Turgeon, Debut Orchestra with Michael Daniels, Preparatory String Ensemble with Caroline Herrero, and Poco Strings under Charlene Monte.

Admission at the door is \$10 for adults, \$5 for students and seniors, and \$25 for families.

The Southeastern Massachusetts Youth Orchestras program was established in 2008 under the auspices of the New Bedford Symphony Orchestra. The season runs from September to May, with four scheduled concerts, including a side-by-side performance with the New Bedford Symphony Orchestra at their December Holiday Pops Family Concerts at the Zeiterion Performing Arts Center. Visit www.semayo.org to learn more.

The Climate Crisis and Its Solutions

Local climate activist Laura Gardner will present "The Climate Crisis and its Solutions" on Wednesday, **November 20** from 7:00 to 8:30 pm in the auditorium at Unitarian Memorial Church, 102 Green St., Fairhaven.

Ms. Gardner's presentation is part of the Climate Reality Project's "24 Hours of Reality: Truth in Action," (www.climateRealityproject.org/blog/24-hours-reality-truth-in-action) a global conversation on the truth of the climate crisis and efforts to address it. The Climate Reality Project was founded in 2011 by former Vice-President Al Gore.

Over the course of 24 hours, Gore will be joined by Ms. Gardner and other members of Climate Reality's global network of more than 20,000 Climate Reality Leaders to give updated versions of the slideshow made famous by "An Inconvenient Truth" (en.wikipedia.org/wiki/An_Inconvenient_Truth).

The local sponsor for "The Climate Crisis and its Solutions" is the Unitarian Universalist Society of Fairhaven, through its South Coast Progressive Voices bi-monthly speaker series. SCPV features experts in fields of broad public interest locally, regionally, and nationally.

The Unitarian Universalist Society of Fairhaven (uufairhaven.org) is committed to the pursuit of religious freedom and to building a world that is just, peaceable and sustainable.

The presentation is free and open to the public. Doors open at 6:45 pm. The venue is handicap accessible. Refreshments will be served.

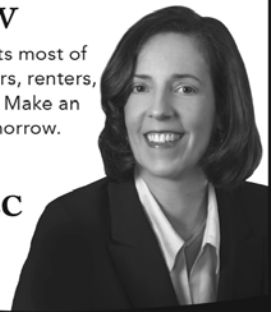
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Edward Gorey and the Tao of Nonsense

Are you only familiar with Edward Gorey because he created the original drawings for the opening and closing title sequences for the PBS Mystery! series? In fact, Gorey (1925-2000) was more than an influential author, illustrator, and book artist - he remains one of the foremost creators of nonsense literature. On Sunday, **November 17** from 2:00 pm to 3:00 pm the Mattapoisett Free Public Library will host Gregory Hischak, curator of the Edward Gorey House in Yarmouth Port, to discuss Gorey's extraordinarily productive broad career as well as his cultural influence on design, fashion, film, and literature. Hischak will also cover Gorey's nonsense works, originating in traditions established by Edward Lear and Lewis Carroll, that evolved into a body of literature that remains whimsical, fantastical, and startlingly contemporary.

Drop n Shop

Need some time alone to get some shopping and errands done? Want to have date night with your significant other without the kids? Marion Recreation will host "Drop and Shop" days! Led by trained First Aid/CPR Summer Program Counselors, these three-hour drop-in events will include games, crafts, movies, along with pizza and drinks. Drop-in events will take place on the following Saturday evenings: **November 16, December 21, January 18, February 15, March 21, April 18, May**



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MOVIE REVIEW

Fake News

By Rob Gonsalves
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Scandalous: The True Story of the National Enquirer. A documentary directed by Mark Landsman. Running time: 97 minutes. No MPAA rating. Now playing in select theaters.

A gore-soaked tabloid, whose publisher had mob connections, was ultimately involved in helping install the President of the United States. This story, worthy of James Ellroy, is at the heart of the documentary *Scandalous: The True Story of the National Enquirer*. Aesthetically, the movie is both cold and cheesy, a weird combo platter. Various interviewees (Carl Bernstein is probably the film's biggest "get") sit in lonely, swanky rooms or in dimly lit bars, and the interviews are broken up by vintage news footage — grainy film stock, bleary video. It's ugly, but then so is the subject; director Mark Landsman means to show that the tabloid that's been an unavoidable patch of the American cultural wallpaper for much of our lives has left a mostly corrosive footprint wherever it has stepped.

Or stomped. By 1997, the *Enquirer's* reputation as a ghost haunting the closets of celebrities was so entrenched that the paper went through a period of disfavor following the death of Princess Diana. The paparazzi who chased Diana to her death were not working for the *Enquirer*, but the association was made anyway — the paper was a synecdoche for all other intrusive tabloids. (For what it's worth, the paper's then-editor Steve Koz made a performative violin solo of refusing photos of the wreckage and called on other tabloids to do likewise.) Before then, the *Enquirer* had actually been gaining a rep as an unexpected source of hard-nosed journalism during the O.J. trial. But the sacrifice of Diana at the altar of enquiring minds that wanted to know seemed to shame, for a while, the supermarket gobblers of tabloid burgers.

What *Scandalous* makes clear is that the paper, for decades, reported all the news that was printed to fit — it was custom-made to slake the public thirst for lightweight squalor. The *Enquirer's* original goodfella-in-chief, Generoso Pope Jr., gradually shifted the rag's angle from sub-Weegee shock-horror to "Why Jackie/Liz/Oprah is as miserable as you are, Jane Q. Public." That formula held for a long time, until, in those more innocent times when such a thing could still happen, Gary Hart



was captured on film with Donna Rice on his lap and his political career was generally acknowledged to be toilet-bound. The *Enquirer's* vampire fangs had drawn a new kind of blood, and it liked the taste. Bill Clinton found himself similarly drained. But all along, in *Scandalous*, we also hear about stories Jane never saw — contemptible behavior by Bob Hope, Cosby, etc. We're told that the *Enquirer* kept mum about certain stars in exchange for access. That will take on grim relevance later, when what Ronan Farrow has recently exposed as the "catch and kill" mechanism (he's in the film briefly) was employed to keep Donald Trump's mushroom out of the pages of America's favorite tabloid. Hillary stared zombie-eyed and pallid from many an *Enquirer* cover, contrasted with the insensate orange vigor of the MAGA who would be king. The paper that had followed America's lead was now leading America.

That was under the jurisdiction of Trump pally David Pecker, who has since sold the *Enquirer*, after the paper's attempted sliming of Trump foe Jeff Bezos backslimed. Today the paper sits in its usual point-of-purchase slot, itself zombie-eyed, a mewling wisp of its former robust ghoulishness. It continues to harass celebrities and the Royal Family just like the good old bad days of 1985, but having ended and expedited presidential dreams, where else can it go? It seems a spent force. And yet the hunger for the *Enquirer's* stock in trade remains, only it's filled elsewhere. For what is Fox News if not tabloid journalism at its slickest and most dangerous, speaking to an audience of the fearful and incurious? The network's serpent-in-chief, Rupert Murdoch, of course slithered from the brackish waters of British supermarket rags. As James Ellroy knew, America is a tabloid country, and so *Scandalous* is not just a movie about that thing Grandma reads at the hairdresser's. At its "best" and worst the paper is a souvenir from our national shadowland; we want to think we're better than the *Enquirer* but we kind of know we deserve each other.

16 from 6:00 pm to 9:00 pm. Cost per participant \$30, for kindergarten through sixth grade only. The event is limited to 12 participants. Must register online five days prior to session. Register at: Marionma.gov/recreation. Location Benjamin D. Cushing Community Center, 465 Mill Street Marion.

AARP Survey Form Mailed to Marion Residents

Through an application by the Marion Council on Aging and the Friends of the Marion Council on Aging, the Town was recently awarded the designation as an Age-Friendly Community in the AARP Network of Age-Friendly States and Communities and the World Health Organization Global Network of Communities. As a member of this network, the Town of Marion benefits from shared experiences of member communities and has access to extensive resources and support available from AARP, including grant monies for age-friendly initiatives.

Responses to the survey by Marion residents age 55 and older will assist in gathering feedback to assess the current and future needs of older adults in our community. The Town can then evaluate where it should focus its effort and resources in developing an action plan to improve the quality of life for older adults in our community and make Marion an even more livable community for all ages.

Surveys were mailed this week. Responses by Marion residents 55 and older are due by **November 30**. This is an opportunity to voice your opinion and assist in our efforts to make the Town of Marion more accommodating to current and future senior citizens. We encourage you to take the time to respond and we look forward to hearing from you. If you prefer to complete the survey online, you can do so at www.surveymonkey.com/r/agefriendlymarion.

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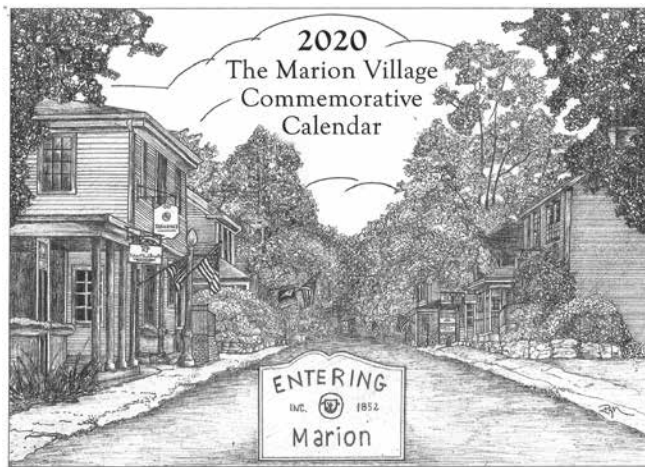


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teamwork. Participants will also have the opportunity to play smaller games with adaptive nets. The program runs Saturdays beginning **January 11, 2020** and runs through **February 15, 2020**, and is designed for beginner players or players in grades K- 2nd Grade. Classes take place at Sippican School Gymnasium. Cost for participants is \$75 for six instructional weeks and includes a participant t-shirt.

A former standout at Division II Merrimack College, Instructor Aaron Strothers joined the UMass Dartmouth coaching staff ahead of last season. Strothers was a four-year player at Merrimack, appearing in 108 career games at forward for the Warriors. He helped his teams to a 70-44 record on his career including two



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TRI-TOWN POLICE LOGS



MARION

Log highlights Nov 3-Nov 9

- Mill St – EMS/medical
- Pitcher St – Suspicious MV
- Wareham Rd – EMS/medical
- Water St – MV collision
- Spring St – Parking enforcement
- Dexter Rd – Health/welfare
- Lewis St – Officer wanted
- Blackhall Ct – Message delivery
- Front St – MV complaint
- Cove St – EMS/medical
- County Rd – MV collision
- Mill St – Officer wanted
- Mill St – MES/medical
- Stoney Run Ln – EMS/medical
- Mill St – Trespassing
- Route 195 East – EMS/medical
- Maple Ave – Found property
- Converse Rd – EMS/medical
- Front St – EMS/medical
- Point Rd – Officer wanted
- Pawkechatt Way – Noise complaint
- Wareham Rd – Health/welfare
- Hermitage Rd – Health/welfare
- Front St – EMS/medical
- Mill St – Paper service/arrest
- South St – health/welfare
- Mill St – Officer wanted
- Front St – MV theft/past
- Village Dr – Animal complaint

MATTAPOISETT

Log highlights Nov 3-Nov 9

- County Rd – 911 call
- Acushnet Rd – Health/welfare
- Wildwood Ter – Medical/assist
- Selha Way – Follow up investigation
- Marion Rd – Assist other agency
- County Rd – Health/welfare
- Crystal Spring Rd – 911 abandoned
- Acushnet Rd – Vandalism
- North St – Assist other agency
- North St – Suspicious persons
- Main St – Suspicious persons
- Crook's Way – Follow up
- Marion Rd – A&B
- Park Pl – Disturbance
- Hilton Ave – Health/welfare
- Crystal Spring Rd – 911 abandoned
- Crook's Way – Follow up
- Marion Rd – Officer wanted
- County Rd – MV crash
- County Rd – Transport prisoner
- Randall Rd – Unattended death
- Crystal Spring Rd – MV crash
- North St – MV crash
- Barstow St – 911 abandoned
- Upland Way – Disturbance
- Neds Point Rd – MV crash
- Crystal Spring Rd – 911 call
- Meadowbrook Ln – MV lockout
- Barstow St – 911 call

ROCHESTER

Log highlights Nov 3-Nov 9

- Dexter Ln – Assist citizen
- Negus Way – Suspicious activity
- Marys Pond Rd – MV accident
- North Ave – Vandalism
- Marys Pond Rd – Assist citizen
- Pierce St – Suspicious activity
- Dexter Ln – MV stop/warning
- Old Farm Ln – Assist citizen
- North Ave – 911 call
- Dexter Ln – Assist citizen
- Neck Rd – MV accident
- High St – Medical emergency
- County Rd – Assist citizen
- Dexter Ln – Lost property
- Sarah Sherman Rd – Juvenile offenses
- Neck Rd – Investigation
- Marion Rd – Animal control
- Alley Rd – Harassing phone calls
- Boxturtle Dt – Well being check
- Neck Rd – MV stop/towed
- New Bedford Rd – MV accident/arrest
- Mill St – Transport
- Anni's Way – Suspicious activity
- High St – Animal control
- Dexter Ln – Medical emergency
- Dexter Ln – Well being check
- Walnut Plain Rd – MV stop/citation
- Mattapoisett Rd – Investigation
- Rounseville Rd – MV accident

For a full PDF of the three towns' police logs from the past week, including arrest reports, visit www.Wanderer.com.



REGIONAL LUNCH MENUS

COASTLINE ELDERLY NUTRITION PROGRAM

Monday, Nov 18: BBQ pork rib, baked beans, German slaw, potato bread, peaches

Tuesday, Nov 19: Pineapple ginger chicken, Jasmine rice, oriental vegetable, oatmeal bread, applesauce

Wednesday, Nov 20: Mac & cheese, escalloped tomatoes, asparagus, fruit loaf, fresh orange

Thursday, Nov 21: Roast turkey w/ rosemary gravy, mashed potatoes, carrots & turnips, multigrain roll pumpkin pie, diet: pumpkin pudding

Friday, Nov 22: Beef chili w/cheddar cheese, rice, whole wheat roll, pineapple

CENTER SCHOOL

Monday, Nov 18: Asian chicken, vegetable lo mein, fortune cookie **2nd choice:** Chefs choice

Tuesday, Nov 19: Taco Nacho: choice of chicken or beef, shredded lettuce, tomato, salsa, cheese sauce, fiesta rice, black bean & corn salsa **2nd choice:** Chefs choice

Wednesday, Nov 20: Pancakes, sausage, hash browns, tomato wedge, orange smiles **2nd choice:** Chefs choice

Thursday, Nov 21: Spaghetti & meat sauce, green beans, garlic bread stick,

tossed salad **2nd choice:** Chefs choice
Friday, Nov 22: Personal round pizza, fresh tossed salad, fruit cup **2nd choice:** Chefs choice

OLD HAMMONDTOWN

Monday, Nov 18: Asian chicken, vegetable lo mein, fortune cookie **2nd choice:** Cracker stacker fun lunch

Tuesday, Nov 19: Taco Nacho: choice of chicken or beef, shredded lettuce, tomato, salsa, cheese sauce, fiesta rice, black bean & corn salsa **2nd choice:** Cracker stacker fun lunch

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Thursday, Nov 21: Spaghetti & meat sauce, green beans, garlic bread stick, tossed salad **2nd choice:** Cracker stacker fun lunch

Friday, Nov 22: Personal round pizza, fresh tossed salad, fruit cup **2nd choice:** Cracker stacker fun lunch

OLD ROCHESTER REGIONAL JUNIOR & SENIOR HIGH

Monday, Nov 18: Asian chicken, vegetable lo mein, fortune cookie
Tuesday, Nov 19: Taco Nacho: choice of

chicken or beef, shredded lettuce, tomato, salsa, cheese sauce, fiesta rice, black bean & corn salsa

Wednesday, Nov 20: Pancakes, sausage, hash browns, tomato wedge, orange smiles

Thursday, Nov 21: Spaghetti & meat sauce, green beans, garlic bread stick, tossed salad

Friday, Nov 22: Oven fried chicken, golden corn, baked beans, roasted potato wedges

ROCHESTER MEMORIAL

Monday, Nov 18: Asian chicken, vegetable lo mein, fortune cookie **2nd choice:** Cracker stacker fun lunch

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SIPPICAN SCHOOL

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OLD COLONY REGIONAL

Monday, Nov 18: General Tso's chicken bowl & dinner roll

Tuesday, Nov 19: Mozzarella sticks, fries, marinara sauce & bread

Wednesday, Nov 20: Pizza bagel & salad

Thursday, Nov 21: Meatball sub, green beans & fries

Friday, Nov 22: Assorted pizza

NCAA Division II Tournament appearances (2009, 2010). Strothers is a member of Merrimack's 500-rebound club, amassing 553 on his career to rank 11th in program history, and also a member of the 1000th point club. In 2013, Strothers was a member of the Cape Verde National Team for a summer. Following that, he played professionally for Escazu Basketball in Costa Rica, where he also became involved in youth clinics in the area. Since his playing days, Strothers has served in a variety of volunteer and coaching roles in the southeastern Massachusetts community. Most recently, he was the head seventh grade boys coach for the Bay State Jaguars AAU team, while also assisting the fifth grade girls squad. He also volunteers in basketball roles at the Boys & Girls Club of Wareham and with the Wareham Junior Basketball Association. Strothers holds his Bachelor of Arts in Sociology with a minor in Business Administration from Merrimack.

You may register online at www.marionma.gov/recreation. You do not need to live in Marion to participate in this program. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Marion Recreation at 774-217-8355 or recreation@marionma.gov.

Heating and Utility Relief for Tri-Town Area Elders

Coastline Elderly Services, Inc. is providing assistance to elders in Marion, Mattapoisett and Rochester who are need help with paying the heat or electric bills. The funds will pay for gas, electric, propane, wood, or other heating needs, to help reduce the financial burden for many elders who have difficulty with these purchases. Funding for this project was made possible by the George E. Curtis Charitable Trust. Please contact the Council on Aging in each town to complete a simple application. Each qualifying elder will receive a one-time assistance of \$350. For the councils on aging in Marion, please call 508-748-3570; Mattapoisett, 508-758-4110, and Rochester at 508-763-8723.

Hunting Seasons Are Here

Hunting seasons in Mattapoisett will continue

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through the end of the year, with limited small game and waterfowl hunting continuing into January and February 2020. Hunting activity will peak from December 2 to 14. Detailed information can be found at www.eregulations.com/massachusetts/huntingandfishing/summary-hunting-season-dates/. Mattapoisett is in Zone 11.

Mattapoisett Land Trust properties are open to lawful hunting, in accordance with state regulations. Please be aware of and respect hunters who are legally using MLT lands. Dress for safety, using hats and/or vests of "Blaze Orange" to improve your visibility. And remember, hunters are generally less active during the middle of the day, and no hunting is allowed on Sundays.

MLT welcomes hunters using Land Trust properties, but reminds them that all hunting stands must be removed at the end of the season. We hope hunters and non-hunters alike will enjoy MLT's woods, fields and marshes.

Friends of the Mattapoisett Library Annual Meeting

Join the Friends, support your library, and volunteer with great people. The Friends of the Mattapoisett Library's annual meeting will be held Sunday, **November 24**, at 2:00 pm at the library. After a brief business meeting, guest speaker, Dr. Mia Holland will present "The Journey to Health, Happiness, and Well-Being: Thank you Cancer!" Dr. Holland is a recognized

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8 Course outlines
15 Jessica of "The Veil"
19 Really revealing
21 At some future time
22 Appear as though
23 "Take Me Home Tonight" singer picks from the menu?
25 Drawn-out drama
26 Tiny parasite
27 Pucksters' org.
28 Parasite egg
29 Big stirs
30 "Hot Stuff" singer takes a pleasure trip?
38 God of love
39 Cultural credo
40 1967 Dionne Warwick hit
41 Small vise
45 A Great Lake
46 Sahara viper
48 Vogue thing

- 49 "Walk on the Wild Side" singer plays a droning instrument?
52 Get a laugh out of
54 War unit
55 Wet blanket
56 Fast-running birds
57 Trapped like —
61 Choir garb
63 "I Walk the Line" singer trims a photo?
68 Follower of Benedict?
69 Galoot
71 Art stand
72 Aunt, to Juan
73 IRS hiree
74 "It's Too Late" singer grumbles?
78 Hog lover
80 Canadian oil company
81 Group of two
82 Slushy drink brand
84 "—, vidi, vici"
85 Choir song
87 "Let's Stay Together" singer checks IDs at the door?
91 Day, to Juan
94 Entirely

- 95 Writer Nin
96 Queen, e.g.
97 Go inside
99 Nonviolent protest
100 Novelist Oz
102 "Them There Eyes" singer has fun at a bash?
109 Just slightly
110 Brooklyn loc.
111 Assoc.
112 La — Tar
114 Rake prong
115 "Song Sung Blue" singer telephones someone?
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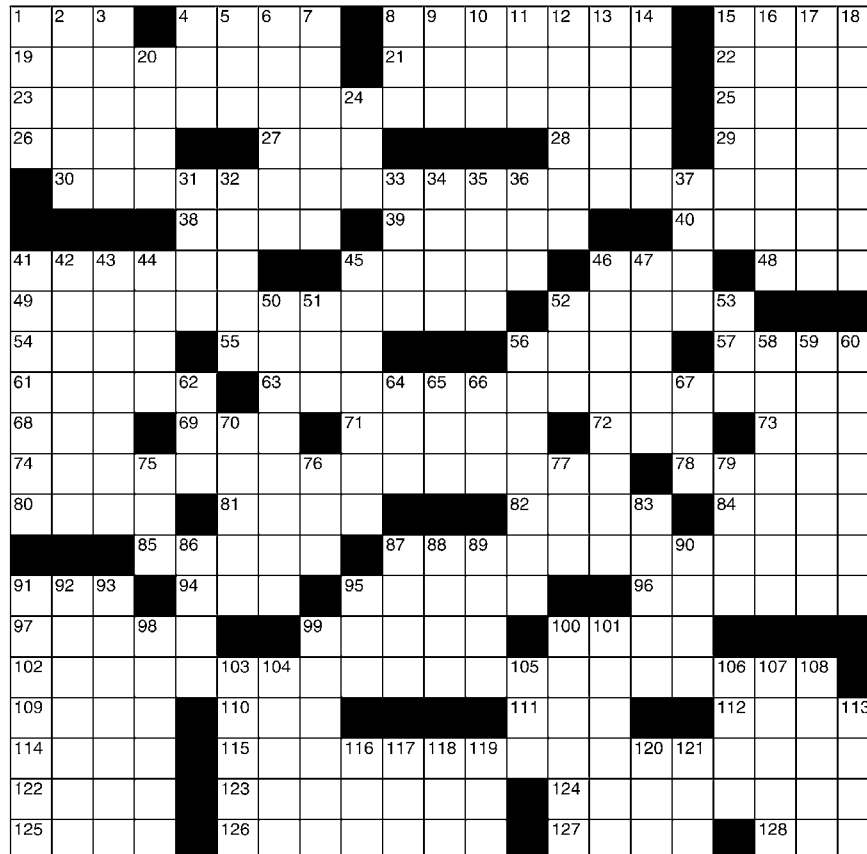
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8 Like a sneak
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10 P.O. piece
11 Was a guide
12 Sporting spots
13 Of element #5
14 Popular photo-sharing app, for short
15 Lay into
16 Make the first play
17 Petalless showy flower
18 Racked up
20 Bank claim
24 Tall tree
31 Designate
32 Excited, informally
33 "You crack —!"
34 To be, in French
35 Fraternity letters
36 Wernher — Braun
37 Bugle tune
41 Jodie's role in "The Silence of the Lambs"
42 Sun or moon circles
43 Moves heavily

- 44 "Ellen" actor
Gross
45 Upscale
46 Something not to be missed
47 Fish-on-rice food
50 Mr. Hyde's other half
51 Kung — chicken
52 Drs.' gp.
53 Corn serving
56 Custard-filled treats
58 Musical period that began in the 1950s
59 Tacks on
60 Like Russia, once
62 "Dino" star
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64 Persist, as an injury
65 Gp. advising the president
66 "— out!"
(ballpark cry)
67 Fleet vehicle
70 Piano part
75 Alley- —
(court play)
76 What "je suis" means
77 Abbr. after old dates
79 Author
Turgenev

- 83 Forest moon where
Ewoks live
86 Hindu dress
87 Prefix with
99-Down
88 Installed, as carpet
89 Gershon of "Cocktail"
90 Sac in anatomy
91 Wars of words
92 First
93 Georgia State locale
95 Feel awful
98 Like firstborn children
99 Extroverted
100 Wear for grill masters
101 Cro- —
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SALOME'S STARS

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) A rejection of your attempt to be friendly leaves you with two choices: Try again, or give up. If you want to make another effort, go slowly. Let things develop without pressure.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) It could be a problem dealing with unfamiliar people who do things differently from what you're used to. But rely on that strong sense of purpose to get you through this difficult period.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) To avoid neglecting a personal matter because of a demanding new workplace schedule, start prioritizing immediately. Knowing how to apportion your time takes a little while to set up.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) It won't be easy to avoid some of the pressures that come with change. Best advice: Take things a step at a time, and you'll be less likely to trip up while things are in a chaotic state.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) A much-talked-about workplace change could be coming soon. Be sure to get all the details involved in the process, and once you have them, you can decide how you want to deal with it.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) You might still believe that your trust was betrayed, although the facts would appear to prove the opposite. But by the week's end you should learn something that will help set the record straight.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) Holiday plans could be a challenge because of shifting circumstances. But a more settled period starts by midweek, allowing you to firm up your plan-making once and for all.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) The facts continue to be on your side. So make use of them in dealing with any challenge to your stated position. Also, open your mind to the offer of help from an unlikely source.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) There could still be a communication problem holding up the resolution of a troublesome situation. Stay with it, and eventually your message will get through and be understood.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) A possible change in your workplace schedule might create a chaotic situation for a while. But once things begin to settle down, you might find that this could work to your advantage.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) A recent job-linked decision might need to be reassessed because of the possibility of finding benefits you might have overlooked. Check out all related data to help in the search.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) A personal situation you agreed to might not be as acceptable to the other person involved in the matter. Avoid pressuring and bullying. Instead, seek common ground by talking things through.

BORN THIS WEEK: You have a gift for touching people's minds as well as their hearts. You would make an outstanding educator.

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commentator in the field of eating disorders and has been an invited speaker for Harvard University Medical School on this topic. She was also selected to present a TEDx talk on eating disorders for the inaugural event at Bridgewater State University and has contributed to nationally published pieces for Today.com, NBCNews.com, MSNBC.com, and iVillage Health. An accomplished Psychology Professor, Certified Personal Fitness Trainer, and Realtor, her biggest life triumph has been her fight against cancer. Come listen to Dr. Holland detail her unique and successful journey to wellness after receiving a breast cancer diagnosis. Her story highlights self-advocacy, methods of healing, gratitude, and inimitable strength. You will enjoy the inspiring story told by this Health Warrior.

Hockey Unlimited Prepares for 55th Season

Hockey Unlimited, an organization founded nearly 55 years ago and committed to teaching the fundamentals of ice hockey to local youths ranging in age from 9 to 14 years, plans to begin its 55th season at Travis Roy Rink... inside Tabor Academy's Fish Center for Health and Athletics.

This year's program will consist of approximately 14 weekly sessions. The registration fee is \$380 for the entire season, payable to Hockey Unlimited (at least half payable in advance). The money covers ice rental expenses and all other operating costs.

Sessions are expected to be held primarily on Saturday mornings. The program runs approximately from early November through February 2020. A complete schedule with exact dates and times will be available upon registration. Because of program limitations, registration is on a "first come, first served" basis.

Each player must be equipped with a stick, knee pads, hockey gloves, elbow pads, helmet and face guard. Some type of tooth protection and hockey pants are also strongly recommended.

To obtain an application or for more information, call Jim Hutchinson at (508) 944-4367 or email at jhutchinson77@comcast.net.

Upper Cape Tech Craft Fair

Upper Cape Cod Regional Technical School will hold their 25th annual American Made Professional Arts and Craft Fair on Saturday, **November 23** and Sunday, **November 24** from 10:00 am to 3:30 pm each day. The Craft Fair is sponsored by Upper Cape Tech's Parent Teacher Organization, which funds student activities, scholarships, and other school events. For additional information, please call (508) 759-7711, ext. 117.

After-school Programs at the MNHM

Fall and Winter 2019 programs at the Marion Natural History Museum will include:

December 11 - Holiday party 2019 - Our annual

event is always a popular program. We will be having some fun using natural and recycled materials to make gifts for the holidays. Light refreshments will be served.

Registration forms are available at www.marionmuseum.org

Friends of Marion VNA Funds

Community Nurse Home Care has received funds from the Friends of Marion VNA to provide Marion residents health-related services not covered by insurance. These funds may be used for the following Community Nurse services:

- Care Transition Consultations
- Caregiver Guidance and Navigation
- Comfort Care
- Community Health Worker Outreach
- Complimentary Nursing Evaluation Visits
- Dementia Care and Support

Requests can be made by residents, their family members, the Marion Council on Aging or medical personnel by email: grants@communitynurse.com; phone: 508-992-6278; or fax: 508-996-0781

Friends of the Mattapoisett Council on Aging

The Friends of the Mattapoisett Council on Aging (FOTMCOA), a non-profit, non-governmental group, has been aiding COA programs and supplementing the needs of senior citizens in the community for many years. During that time, the FOTMCOA has purchased furnishings, appliances, and televisions that the COA has used in its social rooms for the benefit of seniors frequenting the COA.

In the community, the FOTMCOA has provided financial support to seniors in need of such items as a new refrigerator or kitchen stove.

The group also sponsors the monthly COA newsletter "Seasonings," as well as hosting various special event luncheons throughout the year giving seniors the opportunity met up with other seniors for a bit of fun and food, social emotional support enriching the lives of Mattapoisett's senior population.

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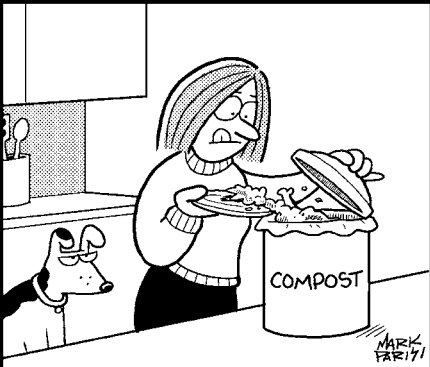
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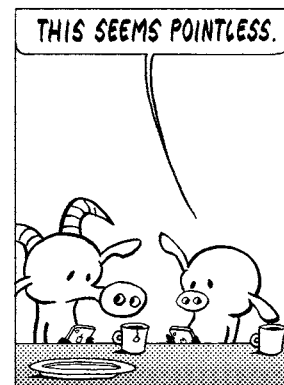
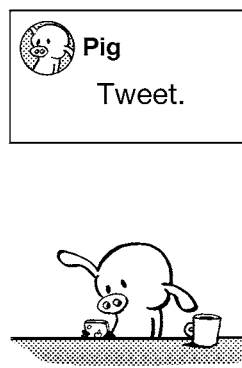
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<p>TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT BOARD OF APPEALS NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS</p> <p>Notice is hereby given that the Mattapoisett Board of Appeals will hold a Public Hearing on the following Applications and Petitions. ALL meetings held in the Mattapoisett Town Hall Conference room; 16 Main Street (unless otherwise noted) New format of meetings; start time is 6:00 pm.</p> <p>Case #1440: Application of: KEITH & SANDRA MCCOWN, 31 Pearl Street, Mattapoisett, MA 02739. RE:31 Pearl Street. The applicant is seeking a Special Permit under section 3.1.2.2 as provided by Section 7.2.2. of the Zoning By-Laws to request permission to Construct a 6' X 14' screen porch that encroaches on their rear setback.</p> <p>The property is further described as Plot 10, Lot 112, on the Assessors Map. The hearing will be held at the Town Hall Conference Room on Thursday, November 21, 2019.</p> <p>Case #1439: CONTINUANCE Next Grid Bowman, LLC, P.O. Box 73069, San Francisco, CA 94120-7775. RE: 0 Bowman Road. The applicant is seeking a Special Permit under section 5.1.4.1 as provided by Section 7.2.2 of the Zoning By-Law to request permission to Construct a ground mounted photovoltaic facility. The property is further described as Plot 3, Lot 47 on the Assessors map. The hearing will be held at the Town Hall conference room on Thursday, November 21, 2019.</p> <p>Complete applications and plans as filed are available for inspection in the Office of the Town Clerk during normal office hours.</p> <p>Sincerely, Susan Akin, Chairperson Mary Anne Brogan, Kenneth Pacheco, Colby Rottler, Anthony Tranfaglia 11/7, 11/14</p> <hr/> <p>TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT PUBLIC NOTICE PRIVATE ROADS THAT NEED TO TAKE CORRECTIVE ACTION PRIOR TO SNOW PLOWING FOR THE 2019/2020 SEASON.</p> <p>At the time of Inspections all roads in this program met minimum standards.</p> <p>Private roads that would like to receive Fall grading can contact The Highway Department at (508)-758-4181, Monday thru Friday, 7am – 3:30pm.</p>	<p>To make arrangements, your private road must have a signed agreement with the Town, and there may be a cost for material only if needed. 11/7, 11/14</p> <hr/> <p>TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT CONSERVATION COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING</p> <p>The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Monday, November 25 at 6:30 pm in the Town Hall on the Request for A Determination of Applicability submitted by DAVID MONTEIRO 45 Nottingham Drive, Raynham, MA 02767. The proposed project is to expand the existing streetside deck by 8 feet by adding on sonotube and stair stoop. The project is located at 35 Mattapoisett Neck Road and is further identified as Lot 11 on Assessor Map 143. 11/14</p> <hr/> <p>TOWN OF MARION BOARD OF SELECTMEN NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING</p> <p>Application for Alteration of Premises of an Existing All-Alcohol Restaurant</p> <p>The Marion Board of Selectmen, acting as local licensing authority, will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, December 3, 2019 at 7:15 pm in the Conference Room of the Marion Town House, 2 Spring Street, Marion, to consider the application of KATE'S SIMPLE EATS, 146 Front Street, Marion, for an alteration of premises. Randy L. Parker, Chairman 11/14, 11/21</p> <hr/> <p>TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT PLANNING BOARD NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING</p> <p>Pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 40, Section 15C and Chapter 87, Section 3-5, notice is hereby given that the Mattapoisett Planning Board and the Mattapoisett Tree Warden will hold a joint public hearing on Monday, December 2, 2019 at 7:00 pm at Mattapoisett Town Hall, 16 Main Street, Mattapoisett, Massachusetts. DIANE MULLENS seeks a permit from the Tree Warden and consent of the Planning Board to cut and remove an Oak tree (22" x 5'10" x 60'), a Locust tree (20" x 4'8" x 60') and a Hawthorn tree (15" x 3'3" x 55'). All trees are located on a designated scenic way (62 North Street). (Publication posted upon the Tree(s) requested to be removed). 11/14, 11/21</p>	<p>TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT CONSERVATION COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING</p> <p>The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Monday, November 25, 2019 at 6:30 pm in the Town Hall on a Notice of Intent submitted by MICHAEL RINGUETTE, 21 Dupont Drive, Mattapoisett, MA 02739. The proposed project is to replace an existing, failed septic system for a single family dwelling. The project is located at 21-23 Dupont Drive, and is further identified as Lot 88 on Assessor Map 14B. 11/14</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;">Place your classified ads 24 hours a day 7 days a week on-line at www.wanderer.com</p> <p style="text-align: center;">off the mark by Mark Parisi</p>  <p style="text-align: center;">PENNY'S BITTEREST RIVAL</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><small>©2019 Mark Parisi Dist by Andrews McMeel Synd. 11-11 olmCartoon@gmail.com offthemark.com</small></p>

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Due to a decrease in membership, new members are now urgently needed to carry on the mission of the FOTMCOA.

Can you help? If you can share an hour once a month to attend the FOTMCOA meeting or wish to assist in any way possible, please contact Anne Bartnowski at 508-758-4603 or email at annebartswife@yahoo.com.

Friendly Visitor Program

The Friendly Visitor Program of the Marion COA seeks to maximize independence and enrich the quality of life for isolated seniors within the community.

The program provides screened and trained volunteers to visit seniors in their homes. Visitors support seniors through weekly contact, providing social support, and a connection to the community. All volunteers are screened through a CORI (Criminal History Systems Board) check. For more information, please contact Linda Aguiar at 508 748-3570.

Marion Scholarship Fund

To enhance the education of Marion students, the Town of Marion has two funds. Both funds are supported entirely by donations of generous Marion residents.

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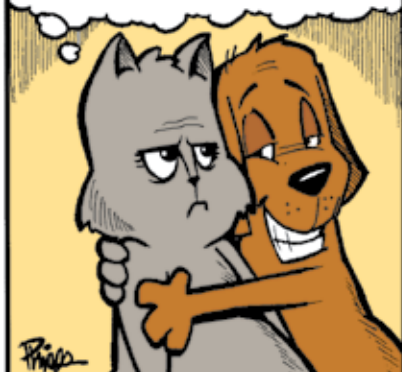
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a list of extra-curricular activities and community service, and letters of recommendations. This year the Scholarship Committee received 13 applications and made the very hard decision as to whom to award the scholarship. If sufficient funds are available, multiple award winners are named.

The Educational Fund contributes money to the Sippican Elementary School for items that are not covered under regular budget line items, but have been requested by teachers. This year we funded a special cart for overnight storage and charging of Chrome Book computers. This is an essential component to make full use of the computers which are an important part of the students' curriculum.

Whether writing a check, bringing in the loose change on your dresser, having a lemonade stand or a yard sale, we are grateful to you for your help. When you make your donation, in any amount, please specify which fund you would like your donation to go to: Scholarship Fund or Educational Fund.

All donations should be addressed to the Marion Scholarship Fund, 2 Spring Street, Marion MA 02738.

Marion Scholarship Fund Committee: S. Cook, J. LeFavor, C. Pierce, M. Soden, D. White (Superintendent of Schools)

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Russell Keeler	November 15
Andy Hiller	November 16
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Rye Vincent	November 16
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Braden MacDonald	November 17
Maureen Muldoon	November 17
Thomas Miller	November 17
Julian E. Bolduc	November 18
Howard Keeler	November 19
Kara Hughes	November 19
Michelle Lavoie	November 19
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Ali Taylor	November 20
Jennifer Aguiar	November 20

If you would like The Wanderer to announce a birthday for yourself, a friend or family member, please submit your information online to us at www.wanderer.com. To submit information by regular mail, please send the person's name (month and day) along with your name and phone number so we can confirm the information to Birthdays, c/o The Wanderer, P.O. Box 102, Mattapoisett, MA 02739. You may submit birthday announcements anytime during the year and they will be published/posted during the appropriate week.



recently joined hands with those in the community to form a group of builders, subcontractors, and donors, all volunteering their time, skills, and resources to help a local mother. After the birth of her second child, the mother contracted an aggressive infection that ultimately led to bilateral below-the-knee amputations along with other serious complications. After months of rehabilitation, this mother remains determined to continue with therapy to improve her mobility in hopes of one day being able to keep up with her two young and active children. Habitat for Humanity has stepped in to help renovate the family's home and will be providing a large accessible bathroom for the mother.

Habitat's "Brush With Kindness" program allows Habitat to serve local families who are in need of repairs such as weatherization (interior storm windows), painting, fixing up an existing porch, adding a ramp, repairing a roof, or making a home accessible again. For families in need of critical home repairs, Habitat's Brush With Kindness program may be the solution. To sponsor or nominate a family, please call the Habitat office at 508-758-4517.

Habitat for Humanity homes and Brush With Kindness projects are fully supported by donations. Habitat's financial resources are limited and they rely upon gifts of land, discounted properties, donations, and discounted materials to assure the affordability of the houses that are built and the remodel projects that are completed.

Habitat's mission is to bring people together to build homes, communities, and hope. Please consider partnering with Habitat to help make this project and others a reality for local families in need of our help. To make a donation, please call Habitat's office at 508-758-4517.

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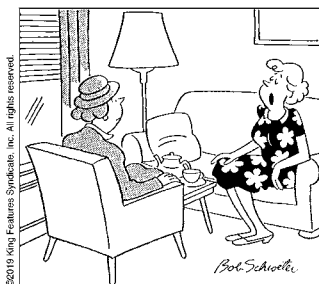
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missing information causes delays in payment posting. EFT/ACH payments are received and cleared faster than checks issued by banks. The Collector's Office uploads electronic payment files, therefore, improving the accuracy and timeliness of payment posting for customers. In addition to receiving email reminders when a payment is due and a confirmation email after making a payment, customers can sign up for courtesy email reminders.

Advantages of e-Billing and Payment:

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- Late fees can be avoided with scheduled or automatic payments

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Addiction Support Group

The Regain Addiction Family Support Group will be starting a new group session in Mattapoissett. This peer discussion group will provide encouragement and information to anyone who has been affected by another's addiction. Each session has a Certified Naloxone/Narcan trainer, Addiction Recovery Coach, and faith-based ministry group host to answer questions. Meeting groups are being held in the Southeast Massachusetts area now.

Please contact us for information if you are interested in joining one of our new summer support group sessions.

For more information contact us: Telephone: 774-328-6196, e-mail: Healing@regainsupport.com, Facebook: Regain addiction support group.

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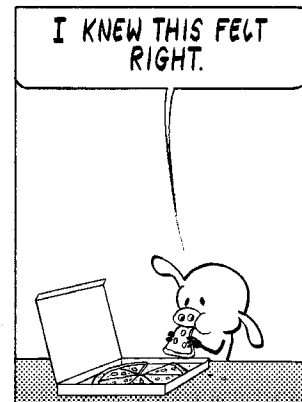
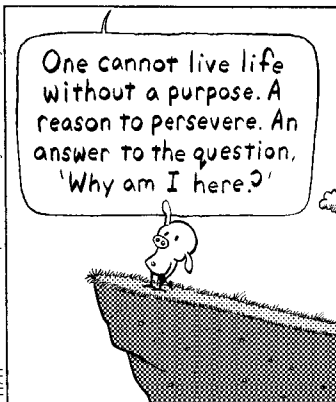
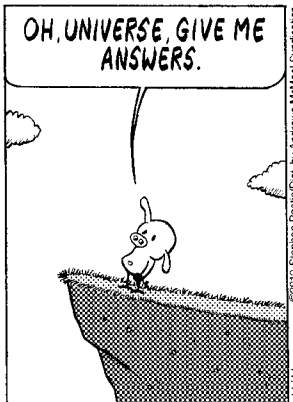
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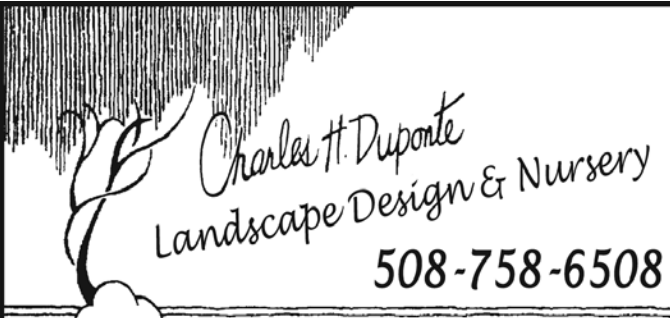
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Shining Tides Quilt Guild, Inc. promotes social, charitable, educational, and cultural connections among quilters. We offer two meeting times, one during the day at VFW #3260, 281 Appleton St., New Bedford (corner

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Model V8 Combustion Engine - You Build It!

Modelo de motor de 8 cilindros

#39012

- Hands-on Experience of Real Engine works!
- Great for STEM learning

Approx. Assembled Dimensions: 7"x 6.5"x 9"




Warning! Choking Hazard - Small parts.
 Not for Children under 3 years.



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AUTO PARTS**

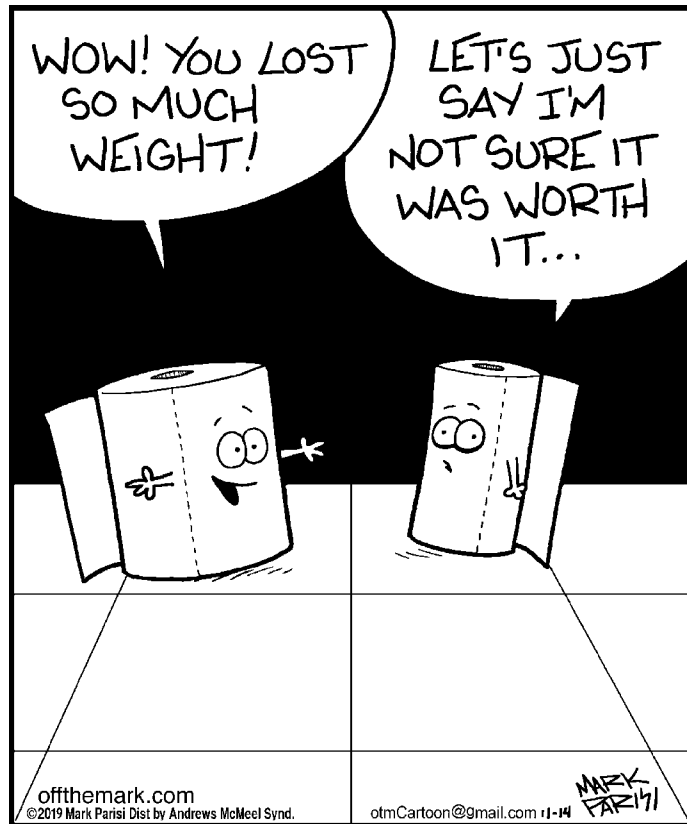
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New Bedford
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of Appleton St. and Ashley Blvd.). Social at 9:30 am and meeting 10:00 am -12:00 pm; we meet every 4th Monday from September - June. Our night meeting meets at United Methodist Church, 67 Main St., Acushnet. Social at 6:30 pm and meeting from 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm. We meet every 2nd Monday from September to June. Check out our website: www.shiningtidesquiltguild.com.

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Buyer(s)	Seller(s)	Address	City	Date	Price
Oconnor, Jennianne	Strand, Jennifer E	84 Converse Rd	Marion	10/23/2019	\$487,000
Callahan, Cecile	Mcgee, Douglas A	142 Fairhaven Rd	Mattapoisett	10/29/2019	\$220,000
Porter, Christopher E Porter, Alicia N	Cote, Richard T	5 Gary Dr	Mattapoisett	10/25/2019	\$370,000
Rodrigues, David P Rodrigues, Ann-Marie	Almeida, Anthony J Almeida, Karen	9 Highland View Ave	Mattapoisett	10/28/2019	\$710,000
Coughlin, Christine Coughlin, Stephen	Whitman Homes Inc	40 Prince Snow Cir	Mattapoisett	10/25/2019	\$205,000
Santos, Joey C	Crabbe, Alicia M	9 Railroad Ave	Mattapoisett	10/25/2019	\$255,000
Rochester Land T Inc	Mccarthy, Gloria E	Quaker Ln	Rochester	10/25/2019	\$13,650
Rochester Land T Inc	Ralph S Jackson RET Crawley, Nancy	Quaker Ln	Rochester	10/25/2019	\$59,465

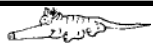
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Local Tides

Day	Date	High		Low	
		a.m.	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.
Thursday	November 14	8:36	9:06	1:52	2:46
Friday	November 15	9:19	9:53	2:31	3:23
Saturday	November 16	10:08	10:45	3:12	4:03
Sunday	November 17	11:01	11:41	3:57	4:49
Monday	November 18	11:59		4:47	5:47
Tuesday	November 19	12:39	12:59	5:49	7:09
Wednesday	November 20	1:37	1:59	7:09	8:38
Thursday	November 21	2:38	3:02	8:45	9:35
Friday	November 22	3:41	4:06	10:03	10:20
Saturday	November 23	4:42	5:06	11:01	11:00
Sunday	November 24	5:37	6:01	11:52	11:40
Monday	November 25	6:29	6:52		12:40
Tuesday	November 26	7:18	7:40	12:21	1:28
Wednesday	November 27	8:05	8:28	1:04	2:13
Thursday	November 28	8:53	9:16	1:49	2:55
Friday	November 29	9:41	10:05	2:33	3:33
Saturday	November 30	10:30	10:56	3:17	4:12
Sunday	December 1	11:21	11:49	4:02	4:54

Phases of the Moon	Last Quarter	November 19th
	New Moon	November 26th
	First Quarter	December 4th
	Full Moon	December 12th



I Found the Aardvark!

Each week, hidden somewhere in the pages of *The Wanderer* is a tiny drawing of an aardvark. The little guy you are looking for looks exactly like the one pictured above (but don't put down this page as your answer, there's another one hidden somewhere in this issue).

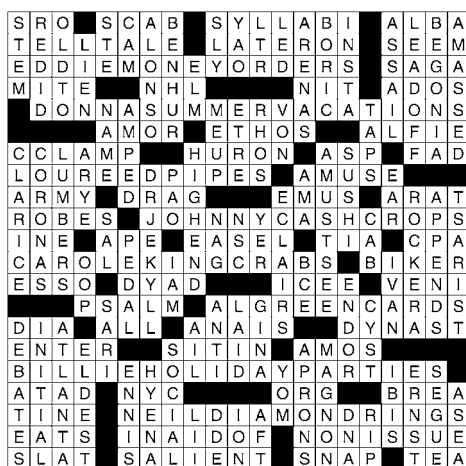
Once you find the aardvark you can submit your answer online and if you are right you will get Aardvark Points! You can then use these points to get cool Aardvark Prizes!

To enter visit: www.wanderer.com and Click on *I Found the Aardvark*

In the November 7, 2019 edition the Aardvark was on page 31!

PUZZLE ANSWERS

CROSSWORD SOLUTION



SCRAMBLERS

solution

1. Rabble; 2. Insight;
3. Modest; 4. Median

Today's Word
ADMITTED

Sudoku Answer

8	9	3	1	6	4	2	7	5
5	4	2	9	8	7	1	3	6
1	7	6	3	2	5	9	8	4
6	2	9	4	3	8	5	1	7
3	1	5	2	7	6	4	9	8
7	8	4	5	9	1	3	6	2
9	6	1	8	4	2	7	5	3
2	3	7	6	5	9	8	4	1
4	5	8	7	1	3	6	2	9

off the mark by Mark Parisi





at PLUMB CORNER

2-WEEK THANKSGIVING SALE!
Friday, November 15 – Thursday, November 28, 2019

565 Rounseville Road • Rochester, MA 02770

Phone: 508.763.5333

Open Daily: 7am–9pm

Thanksgiving Hours:
7am–1pm

Wine Shop & Beer Cooler Specials

All Beer is
Plus Deposit

750 ml
California Wine
Merlot

Bogle
\$8⁹⁹



1.5 Liter, California Wines, Assorted Varietals

Woodbridge..... \$12⁹⁹

750 ml, French Wines, Chardonnay

Jadot Macon Villages..... \$14⁹⁹

750 ml, Italian Wines, Prosecco

Riondo..... \$14⁹⁹

750 ml, Italian Wines, Red

Gabbiano Dark Knight..... \$7⁹⁹

12 oz. Bottles
12 Pack Selected

**Samuel
Adams**

\$15⁹⁹

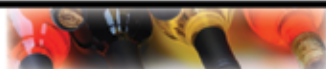


16 oz. Cans
4 Pack Selected
**Citizens
Cider**

\$10⁹⁹



We have over 75 varieties (and more coming) of wines that are **only 3/\$15 or \$5⁹⁹ ea.**
Mix & Match wines from California, France, Italy, Argentina, Chile, & Australia!



*Come in & check out
the selections!*

Superior Quality Produce



Buttercup, Spaghetti, Acorn, or
Butternut Squash..... 59¢ lb.

Fresh
Sweet Potatoes..... 99¢ lb.

Bunched
Celery..... \$1⁶⁹ ea.

Don't forget the green bean casserole!
Green Beans..... \$1⁶⁹ lb.

Carlson's - Half Gallon, Premium
Apple Cider..... \$2⁹⁹

Locally Grown, Tote Bag
Cortland or McIntosh
Apples..... 99¢ lb.

Quality Meats, Deli & Prepared Foods

Triple M or
Buddaball
Bone-In, Half
**Ham or
Spiral
Ham**
\$3⁴⁹ lb.



Friends'
Premium Black Angus
"1855", Boneless Shoulder
London Broil..... \$4⁹⁹ lb.

Boar's Head
Rosemary Ham..... \$7⁹⁹ lb.

Boar's Head
**American
Cheese..... \$5⁹⁹ lb.**

Friends' Store Packaged
Apple Crisp..... \$5⁹⁹ lb.

Sugardale
16 oz. Pkg.

**Sliced
Bacon**
\$4⁴⁹



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at Plumb Corner**

*Be sure to check out our selection
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Thanksgiving!*



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THANKSGIVING SAVINGS!

Bell & Evans
Fresh, All Natural
10-24 lb. Avg.

Turkey
\$2⁹⁹
lb.



Friends'
In-Store Baked
**Turkey
Breast**

\$7⁹⁹
lb.



Cabot
6-8 oz. Selected
(Excludes Cuts)
**Cheese
Bars**

2/\$5



Hood
48 oz. Selected
Ice Cream
2/\$6



Oskar Blues
12 oz. Cans
Conundrum

12 Pack
\$17⁹⁹
Plus Dep.



1.5 Liter
French Wine
Rosé

**La Vieille
Ferme**
\$14⁹⁹



Grocery & Bakery

12 oz. Selected Fat Free
or Home Style
Heinz Gravy 2/\$3



5.25-10 oz. Selected
(Excludes Long Grain &
Wild Rice & Quinoa)
**Near East
Side Dishes 2/\$3**



6 oz. Selected
**Kraft Stove Top
Stuffing Mix \$1⁸⁹**



15-30 oz. Selected
**Hellmann's
Mayonnaise \$2⁹⁹**



32 oz. Selected
**Kitchen Basics
Stock 2/\$5**



4 lb.
**Domino
Granulated
Sugar 2/\$5**



18-19 oz. Selected
(Excludes Vegetable Classics)
**Progresso
Soup 2/\$4**



6.5-8 oz. Selected
**Cape Cod
Potato Chips 2/\$6**



Fresh Store Baked
9 oz. 6 Pack
Snowflake Rolls 2/\$4



Fresh Store Baked
22 oz. 8 Inch
Apple or Pumpkin Pie \$4⁹⁹



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